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An Israeli soldier being rushed to a hospital Friday night after he was wounded in the attack on the kidnappers' hideout.

## Perry Warns Iraq to Remove Armor

By John Lancaster Washington Post Service

KUWAIT CITY - Defense Secretary William J. Perry warned Friday that the

United States might take military action against Iraq if it failed to remove all of its heavy armored units from the southern Print of the country near Kuwait.

Arriving here from Saudi Arabia, Mr. Perry said Iraq had yet to honor its pledge to withdraw its forces to a safe distance. He cited evidence that up to 10,000 members of the elite Republican Guards were digging in less than 160 kilometers (100 miles) north of the Kuwaiti border.

Mr. Perry said, moreover, that if Iraq her family health and thremes did not complete the withdrawal it began Minute the include knowledge, Co. . earlier this week, the United States would get in the Mr. Fall diebs continue to send ships, planes and ground mines to the test the data forces to the region and might increase their numbers beyond carrent plans, which Latente were mensuled beto. call for the deployment of up to 30,000

> "We will not bring our combat troops home as long as Iraq continues to threaten peace and stability in the Gulf," Mr. Perry said at an airport news conference. "In-deed, if heavy Iraqi units remain in the south, we will expand our current deployment and will consult with our allies about the additional application of force as an appropriate response to the threat posed

> y iraq. Notwithstanding Mr. Perry's firm warning, the sense of crisis has receded noticeably in Kuwait following the withdrawal

of Iraqi forces from the immediate border

Nevertheless, Clinton administration officials are eager to keep the pressure on President Saddam Hussein of Iraq.

The United States is seeking a United Nations Security Council resolution that would demand the return of Iraqi forces to their positions before the latest advance on Kuwait. That would mean removal of Republican Guard divisions to points north of the 32d parallel, or no closer than 240 kilometers to Kuwait. Aircraft from the United States, France and Britain already are enforcing a ban on flights by Iraqi aircraft below the 32d parallel.

U.S. officials have ruled out proposals to force the removal of all Iraqi forces from southern Iraq, fearing that Mr. Saddam might then lose control of the region's restive Shifte Muslim population. That, in turn, could lead to the breakup of the country, providing an opening for neigh-boring Iran, whose Muslim fundamentalist regime maintains close ties to the Shiites and is hostile to the West.

Clinton administration officials had all but declared victory earlier this week when Iraqi forces began their withdrawal. The renewed threat Friday of military action follows reports Thursday that some Iraqi armored units had stopped moving. During his flight to Kuwait, Mr. Perry told reporters traveling with him that a Republican Guard division of about 10,000

troops, tanks and armored vehicles was

digging in near An Nasiriyah, less than 160 kilometers from Kuwait, according to The Associated Press.

An armored division can move at speeds of up to 30 kilometers an hour, which potentially would put the Republican Guards within five hours driving time of the tiny, oil-producing emirate to the

"If they're digging in, we still have prob-lems ahead of us," Mr. Perry said on the plane. Asked what kind of action the United States might take in response, he said "We're talking about military action, but I

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# Abducted Israeli Soldier Killed in Raid to Free Him

JERUSALEM — The Israeli soldier kidnapped by Palestinian Islamic radicals was killed Friday night during a rescue attempt by Israeli troops in a village in the occupied West Bank, Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin announced.

An Israeli commando and three of the kidnappers were also killed during the at-tempt to free the 19-year-old soldier, Corporal Nachshon Waxman, officials said. In a grim irony, Mr. Rabin, Foreign Minister Shimon Peres and the Palestine Liberation Organization leader, Yasser Arafat, received the Nobel Peace Prize on the very day the deal that had earned them the award came under renewed pressure.

(Page 6)
"I would say that I would be happy to give back the Nobel Peace Prize to bring back to life both of the soldiers who fell," Mr. Rabin said at a press conference. President Bill Clinton urged Israelis and

Arabs on Friday to continue the peace "I know that it is hard to go forward, but we owe it to all those who have paid such a

heavy price to persist and finally prevail in our pursuit of peace," Mr. Clinton said. The Israeli Army attack was at Bir Nabala, a West Bank village about five kilo-meters (three miles) north of Jerusalem en route to the Palestinian town of Ramallah,

which is still under Israel's occupation. Although the PLO arrested scores of members of the Hamas movement in the Gaza Strip in an attempt to find Corporal Waxman, it maintained he was not in their area but in Israeli-controlled territory.

Mr. Rabin had put pressure on Mr. Arafat to rescue the soldier, maintaining that Corporal Waxman was held in the Palestinian autonomous area in Gaza. Mr. Rabin said Friday night that he had learned only in the morning that the soldier was in the occupied territories.

He said he hoped the deaths would not derail peace talks with the PLO. "We will be in touch," Mr. Rabin said. "We will find what we have to do to make it possible to continue the peace process, bearing in mind that the Gaza Strip is the cradle of Hamas terror activities.

Mr. Arafat, who now administers Gaza and Jericho, postponed a news conference scheduled for late Friday. An aide, Mar-waa Kanafani, said the PLO chairman was saddened by the loss of life. Mr. Kanafani said the PLO had been vindicated in its assertion that Corporal Waxman was not being held in Gaza.

Rabin called Arafat and they exchanged ideas about resuming negotia-tions and the future of the peace process," Mr. Kanafani said. "No dates have been

Eight Israeli soldiers were wounded in the raid, which occurred about an hour before the 9 P.M. deadline that the kidnappers had set for killing Corporal Waxman, who was kidnapped Sunday. The hideout was only two kilometers from the Jerusalem home of the Israeli soldier, who also held American citizenship.

"Nachshon was killed in cold blood while he was bound," Lieutenant General Ehud Barak said at the news conference with Mr. Rabin.

The soldiers attacked a two-story white house in a newly constructed area. Ĝeneral Barak said that soldiers blew open the door with explosives and charged inside to find that Corporal Waxman had been killed by his kidnappers.

Before going in, they offered the kidnappers a chance to surrender, but the Islamic militants shouted back that the soldier was dead, he said.

Village residents said the operation lasted about an hour. The army commandos fired rockets and anti-tank shells at the

house, Israeli sources said. The kidnappers responded with automatic weapons fire. News of the raid was held back by Israeli military censors for several hours until families of the victims could be noti-

The kidnappers had demanded the release of their spiritual leader, Sheikh Ahmed Yassin, and the freeing of 200 Palestinian prisoners.

The raid came even though Israel was negotiating with Mahmoud Zahar, a Hamas political leader who ultimately agreed

to a 24-hour delay in the deadline. Mr. Rabin said he ordered the operation because he never got an answer about whether Hamas was willing to trade the soldier for Sheikh Yassin.

"This is part of a policy of an all-our war

government's policy of not negotiating with terrorists.

Whoever wants to advance peace must fight the radical, murderous terrorists of Hamas and Islamic Jihad and the rejectionists because they are the murderers of

peace," he said. Earlier Friday, Mr. Zahar announced that Hamas had agreed to the delay after Israel indicated a willingness to release the

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## '88 Laureate Is Stabbed in Cairo Attack

CAIRO - Naguib Mahfouz, the only Arab to win the Nobel Prize in Literature, was stabbed and seriously wounded outside his house in Cairc on Friday.

The motive for the attack on the 82year-old Egyptian author was not clear, but the police said they suspected Muslim militants, some of whom once declared Mr. Mahfouz an infidel and put him on a hit list.

The Interior Ministry said a man attacked Mr. Mahfouz, the 1988 laureate, with a sharp instrument and wounded him in the neck as he sat in a friend's car outside his house in the suburb of Agouza. The man used a knife and fled in a car in which others were waiting, security sources added.

Mr. Mahfouz was in intensive care

at the police hospital in Agouza, the sources said. He had been bleeding profusely but his condition was later stable and "reassuring," they added. Al-Azhar, the highest Islamic au-

thority in Egypt, has banned one of his novels, "The Children of Gabalawi," on grounds that it offends Islam.

#### Kiosk



PIAZZA PROTEST — A Roman demonstrator putting vocal power behind the strike Friday that closed factories in cities across Italy. Page 2.

## Heavy Fighting Reported in Angola

SAO TOME (Reuters) - The Angolan rebel movement UNITA reported heavy fighting on Friday in the northeastern diamond mining area and the oil-producing enclave of Cabinda.

UNITA radio, monitored in the island state of São Tomé and Principe, said the government had launched an offensive against rebel positions at Cacolo, Monakimbundo and Xico Pouvo in Lunda South Province. The radio said the offensive was

backed by air force bombing raids on rebel positions. It reported dozens of casualties, but gave no further details. It also said UNITA forces had killed  $\mathcal{T}$ government troops and had captured the town of Chimbuande.

#### In Monday's IHT: The World's Best Restaurants

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## Central Bank Chairman, Bane of Yeltsin, Resigns

By Steven Erlanger

New York Times Service

MOSCOW — Only a day after telling Parliament he saw no reason to quit, the conservative chairman of Russia's central bank, Viktor V. Gerashchenko, gave his resignation Friday to President Boris N. Yeltsin in a Kremlin meeting.

Mr. Yeltsin issued a decree relieving Mr. Gerashchenko, long a target of market reformers, of his post, a presidential spokesman said.

Mr. Yeltsin had demanded that Parliament dismiss Mr. Gerashchenko in the aftermath of the "Black Tuesday" crash of the ruble, when it lost more than a fifth of its value against the dollar in a single day, closing at 3,926 to the dollar.

The ruble has since strengthened, closing Friday at 2,988 to the dollar, slightly firmer than Thursday's 2,994.

The prime reason for the sudden col-lapse was the failure of the central bank to intervene quickly enough to defend the currency. Mr. Yeltsin had also dismissed the acting finance minister, Sergei K. Du-binin, a market reformer who had little to do with the crash, and ordered an investigation by the National Security Council and secret police into any "organized" efforts to "sabotage" the ruble.

It was by no means certain that Parliament, which is dominated by a loose coalition opposed to Mr. Yeltsin, would have dismissed Mr. Gerashchenko, who also ran the Soviet central bank in nonmarket times and sat on the Central Committee.

In his meeting Friday with Mr. Yeltsin, who criticized the bank's "weak control" over financial policies, Mr. Gerashchenko,

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## Down to Wire in Germany

### Kohl's Coalition Given One-Point Lead

By Steve Vogel Washington Post Service

DORTMUND, Germany - What has been called the dullest election campaign in postwar Germany has finally come to an end, and taking the stage at a last-gasp campaign rally here was the man given — fairly or unfairly — no small share of the blame: Rudolf Scharping, the Social Dem-ocratic challenger to Chancellor Helmut

Even in this workers' brewery town, a Social Democratic stronghold for decades, the response to Mr. Scharping's standard stump speech calling for more jobs was tepid at best, with applause never reaching levels higher than polite.

It has been that kind of campaign for

Mr. Scharping, whose inability to electrify the electrorate has crippled the Social Dem-ocrat's efforts to deny Mr. Kohl a fourth term. After what has seemed an interminably tedious campaign, election day arrives Sunday for Germany's 60 million eligible

An Allensbach Institute poli Friday gave Mr. Kohl's coalition of Christian Democrats (including the Bayarian sister party, the Christian Social Union) and Free Democrats a combined 48.5 percent of the vote, while the Social Democrats and their potential partners, the environ-mentalist Greens and the reformed Communists, got a combined 47.5 percent. "I'm absolutely certain we're going to

win," a senior official in Mr. Kohl's office said Friday. "But it will be close."

"Scharping does not exactly have the strongest personality in the world," said Dieter Koenmemann, a Dortmund insurance man and Social Democratic supporter, joining in the 10 seconds of clapping that followed his speech.

Six months ago, when the 46-year-old Mr. Scharping was riding high in the polls, he encouraged comparisons between himself and President Bill Clinton as a pragmatic moderate drawn from a new generation of leaders.

But he and the Social Democrats have watched helplessly as a double-digit lead last February evaporated into a five- to seven-point deficit. The wooden Mr. Scharping has failed to connect with voters and has been roundly criticized even within his own party for running a lackluster

Despite it all, the Social Democrats find themselves with at least an outside chance to be in a ruling coalition for the first time since the collapse of Chancellor Helmut

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## Russian Says Iraqis Yield \*On Sovereignty of Kuwait

KUWAIT — Foreign Minister Andrei V. Kozyrev of Russia said Friday that Iraq had apparently accepted the UN-mandat-ed borders and sovereignty of Kuwait without conditions.

"Thave brought good news for the peo-ple of Kuwait," he said Friday as he ar-rived in Kuwait from Baghdad. "This day the independence of Kuwait is rein-But Iraq and Russia faced an uphill battle for any action to ease the United

Nations sanctions against President Saddam Hussein's government, as the United States bluntly rejected the idea. "One week after Saddam again plunged the world into crisis, any consideration of sanctions relief is dangerously misguided." Secretary of State Warren M. Christopher said in a statement issued in Germany on his way back to the United States from a Middle East tour. "It would signal Saddam Hussein that the international community

colossal misadventures." The White House press secretary, Dee Dee Myers, added: "We're not going to reward them for a beliggerent posture." Pears of a fresh confrontation in the Gulf flared earlier this month when Iraq

has learned as little as he has from his own

sent up to 80,000 troops close to the Kuwait border, triggering a swift U.S. mili-

tary buildup in the region.
Iraq's recognition of Kuwait is one of several UN conditions for the lifting of sanctions imposed against Baghdad for its 1990 invasion of the emirate. Iraq's recent buildup was widely seen as a tactic to put pressure on the United Nations to lift the

Mr. Kozyrev, asked earlier whether Iraq's readiness to recognize Kuwait's borders had conditions attached, responded: "I do not think so."

"The northern neighbor of Kuwait — Iraq — has declared that he recognizes the territorial border and sovereignty of Kuwait in accordance with Security Council resolutions on this subject," he said. Asked what was needed for the United

Nations to accept Iraq's declaration, he said experts on the Iraqi Constitution would have to decide what was necessary. Kuwait wants recognition to be in the form of a statement by Mr. Saddam or his Revolutionary Command Council that is submitted to the Security Council and lodged with the United Nations as an

official UN document. The United States is pushing for a vote See IRAQ, Page 6.

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Filipinos Dare to Hope Latest Boom May Be for Real

taurant critic, Patricia Wells, took on an

She traveled far and wide, and reported not only on the top tables but also on more casual restaurants in Hong Kong, Tokyo, the United States, France, the Benelux and Germany. With her report on Italy, she completes

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**Newsstand Prices**  By Kevin Murphy International Herald Tribune

MANILA - Ager Kiocho's problem is the Philippines' good fortune: The market for his portable electric generators has collapsed as the fast-growing Philippine economy begins to power ahead without them.

An economic turnaround has been born in the Philippines, and it is bringing the country's first sustainable boom, foreign and Philippine analysts believe. Business and consumer confidence is surging, and even the country's endemic electricity shortages have ended.

said Mr. Kiocho, an executive with Honda Philippines Inc. But, he added, "We are seeing the sales of motorcycles pick up very well instead."

Memories of the 12-hour-a-day blackouts that crippled the economy as recently as last year are quickly fading along with images of coups, capital flight and the growth-sapping cronyism of the Ferdinand Marcos era.

They have quickly been replaced by euphoria over statistics reflecting rising growth and exports, lower inflation, a booming stock market, increased foreign investment and a cautious, qualified bill of economic health from the International Monetary Fund.

"When you hear 'recovery in the Philippines' it brings out the skeptic in everyone," said Maria Lomotan, an economist with Nomura Research Institute in Hong Kong. "But the situation in the short term is very bullish. What remains to be seen is whether the reform process stays

On a five-day visit starting Saturday, the IMF managing director, Michel Camdessus, is likely to acknowledge the successes finally achieved in the fund's

longest-running support program.
But bankers and analysts say he will remind his hosts that annual inflation, which eased to 8.6 percent in September from 9.9 percent in August, remains a

also remains high. "They're talking about achieving the

kind of growth levels enjoyed by their Asian neighbors," said an international banker. "But they're not going to be able to match that kind of growth without matching their neighbors' much higher national savings rates. And meeting those targets will require a great deal of

For their part, Philippine officials acknowledge a risk exists that the current cuphoria could militate against tax and tariff reforms and the government

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"We are definitely suffering from the nonsale of generators in Manila now,"

By Alan Cowell

New York Times Service ROME — In a further challenge to Prime Minister Silvio Berlusconi, hundreds of thousands of people took to the streets of Italian cities Friday in a general strike supposed to protest austerity proposals but used by some demonstrators to call for the govern-

ment's downfall. The protests in cities from Bari to Milan ranked among the biggest in recent years and were designed by labor unions to demonstrate the depth of said Cesare Romiti, the managing diopposition to budgetary measures that rector of Fiat, whose factories near would reduce pensions and health care Turin reported that half of their work-

piazzas have cast a huge vote of no
Nonetheless, the stoppages, which confidence in the budget and as from hit factories along with air transport,

tro Larizza, a Milan labor leader. Union leaders said 3 million people

Mr. Berlusconi was on an official visit to Moscow during the strike.

The authorities and big business

have sought to play down the four-hour general strike as old-fashioned

"The unions are having trouble get-ting rid of an old way of thinking." benefits as the government strives to trim Italy's huge public deficits.

"Today, people in a hundred Italian to the told reporters during a visit to Paris.

billion knongr of investments

away from home and into the

EU's single market over the

Ericsson doesn't need Sweden, said Mr. Anell, who will quit diplomacy to become a director

at Volvo at the end of this year. The credibility and economic growth that will come with

Union membership are vital to

reducing the country's budget

deficit, which is ballooning out

of control at nearly 13 percent

of total economic output, Fi-

nance Minister Goran Persson

economic development," he

said. "Better growth and lower interest rates will have a posi-

tive effect on the budget."

Opponents, meanwhile, fear

losing their uniqueness along with their sovereignty, contend-ing that Nordic traditions of

open government, generous

welfare systems and sexual

equality will be eroded in a

marriage with their southern

served not only ourselves very

well but it has made it possible

for disarmament and solidarity

with poor countries," said Sten Johanssen, who heads the "no"

faction in the Social Democrat-

ic Party that just took power.

The issue has split the party.

With two ministers opposed to membership, Prime Minister

Sweden's neutrality "has

"It's crucial to our general

"Sweden needs Ericsson,

next five years.

tomorrow, we will continue," said Pie-border posts, banks, railroads and hospitals, added to the woes of a governtook part in stoppages and demonstra- surge of optimism and promises of

> Mr. Berlusconi, a wealthy tycoon who entered politics only last January, is already facing a crisis of credibility inspired by the apparent conflict of interest between his continued ownership of his Fininvest business empire and his work as prime minister.

> Apart from other interests. Fininvest owns Italy's biggest commercial television networks, and the prime minister has been unable to embark on reforms in the state-run broadcasting system without accusations from his critics that he is seeking to dominate

ment that took office last May on a in Milan who are investigating Finin- prime minister over the austerity meavest's dealings. His younger brother, Paolo, is facing accusations that he paid bribes to the tax police to secure favorable audits.

As the strike unfolded Friday, demonstrators in Milan cheered as Fininvest employees joined the protest march. In Rome, some strikers chanted, "Berlusconi out."

Some protesters carried banners lion ne saying, "Forza giudici" ("Go, revival. Judges"), a spoof on the name of Mr. But Berlusconi's political party, Forza Ita-

The real impact of the general strike will not be known, however, until Mr. Berlusconi's partners in his loose, three-party coalition have decided

Mr. Berlusconi is also in open con-flict with anti-corruption magistrates whether the turnout was big enough to persuade them to break ranks with the

Mr. Berlusconi heads a coalition made up of his Forza Italia, the neofascist National Alliance and the federal-

ist Northern League. The budget itself presents Mr. Ber-

lusconi with a broader dilemma. His election campaign was fought and won largely on promises of a million new jobs and painless economic

But Italy's public deficit, the gap between what the government spends and what it earns, is so big that cuts in government spending are needed both to satisfy the needs of good housekeeping and to placate the money and bond

## WORLD BRIEFS

#### Deal Near, U.S. and North Korea Say

GENEVA (Renters) — U.S. and North Korean officials ex-ressed confidence Friday that a deal was close that would reshape Pyongyang's nuclear energy program and remove a longe standing threat of war in East Asia.

But as experts from the two countries labored over a detailed text, diplomats said it could take a few more days - perhaps into the middle of next week - before a final accord was set.

In Washington, Winston Lord, assistant secretary of state for East Asian and Pacific affairs, said the Geneva negotiations 'may be on the verge of a rather significant breakthrough." And a North Korean official in Geneva said: "Both sides are endeavoring to produce a satisfactory agreement. I think they will succeed."

## Major Foresees a Wealthier Britain

BOURNEMOUTH, England (Reuters) - Prime Minister John Major, urging his Conservatives not to panic over poor opinion polls, courted voters on Friday with the prospect of doubling their living standards in a generation if they kept his party in power.

In the closing address to an annual party conference that has exposed deep rifts over Europe, Mr. Major held firm against pressure for a lurch to the right to dent the 25-point poll lead of

the Labor Party's leader, Tony Blair.

Recalling how the Conservatives in 1954 had promised disbelieving Britons their wealth could double in 25 years, Mr. Major "Recause of what has said the same opportunity was within grasp. "Because of what has now been achieved, with the right determination, with the right policies, we have the chance once again to double our living standards in the next 25 years — and that's something to feel good about," he said.

#### Sri Lanka Talks Are Off to Good Start

JAFFNA, Sri Lanka (Reuters) — Sri Lankan government officials and Tamil separatist rebels ended their first round of peace talks Friday, with both sides saying they would like to end the country's 11-year civil war.

The government team said it would ask Prime Minister Chandrika Bandaranaike Kumaratunga to consider rebel requests, which include a cease-fire, safe passage for travelers and the easing of economic hardships. The delegation's leader, K. Balapatabendi, who is a senior aide to the prime minister, said she was

likely to view the requests favorably.

The two sides met in rebel-held Jaffna, 320 kilometers (200 miles) from Colombo. The talks are expected to resume in 10 days, also in Jaffna, a member of the government side said.

#### War Crimes Panel Investigates Serb

THE HAGUE (Reuters) — A Bosnian Serb was named Friday as the subject of the first international war crimes investigation since the Nuremburg and Tokyo trials after World War II.

The United Nations Yugoslavia war crimes tribunal said Dusan Tadic, 38, arrested earlier this year in Germany, was suspected of hilling, raping beating and torturing Croats and Muslims during "ethnic cleansing" in the Prijedor region of northwestern Bosnia. A prosecution attorney, Michael Keegan, said Mr. Tadic's alleged crimes pointed to a Serbian plan for "widespread and systematic destructive persecution against the civilian population of the

Prijedor region, commonly referred to as ethnic cleansing.

At the Trnopolje prison camp, Mr. Tadic was witnessed raping Muslim women on several occasions. At the notorious Omarska prison camp, "Tadic beat and tortured prisoners on a daily basis and is personally responsible for the murder of more than 10 prisoners," Mr. Keegan said.

VIENNA TRANSITION — President Thomas Klestil, left, showing Chancellor Franz Vranitzky into the Hofburg palace Friday for discussions on the formation of a new government following Austrian elections earlier this month.

## **Grudgingly, Nordics Move Toward EU**

## Finns Voting in First of 3 Polls

By Tom Buerkle

International Herald Tribune
BRUSSELS — The tide of public opinion in Scandinavia is turning in favor of European Union membership, but there are still big doubts in the Nordic countries

In Finland, where some 30 percent of the electorate has already cast ballots in advance of the referendum on Sunday, the vote is running nearly twothirds in support of member-ship. Polls indicate a similar final result, which would rival

Austria's big "yes" vote in June. Finland has long been the most pro-Union Nordic country because of its long frontier with Russia and the collapse of its trade with the former Soviet

Membership in the EU would mean security in political and economic terms, according to Erkki Liikanen, the country's ambassador to the EU.

Membership backers hope a big victory margin will lead to more support in referendums in Sweden on Nov. 13 and Norway on Nov. 28.

In Norway, a recent poll showed voters almost evenly split on membership if Finland and Sweden vote to enter.

But for all the momentum, there is little enthusiasm for membership, largely because fear is the driving force on the

Rather than stressing the merits of membership, supporters warn of the costs of rejection, saying it would consign their countries to geopolitical and economic isolation marked by higher interest rates, weaker currencies and fewer jobs.

"What can we do together with Iceland and Liechtenstein?" asked Lars Anell, Sweden's ambassador to the Union, referring to the only members of a broad European free-trade zone with no plans for EU membership.

Major corporations, including Ericsson and Volvo, have warned that if Sweden stays out of the Union, they will steer 50

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## Ingvar Carisson, who supports it, said Friday that the government would not take sides. **Airlines Using** Airbus Jets Told

To Watch Speed PARIS — France issued a speed warning Friday to French airlines flying Airbus jets similar signed in July in the face of to the A-310 flown by the Roma-kickback allegations. nian airline Tarom that nearly

land at Paris's Orly Airport. The French civil aviation authorities said crews flying the Airbus Industrie A-310 and A-300-600 should respect speed limits and be familiar with the automatic speed protection system in these aircraft.

crashed last month as it came to

The Tarom jet narrowly escaped crashing on Sept. 24 after it dived unexpectedly toward the ground as it came in to land.

The French accident inquiry office said the Romanian flight crew had not understood the workings of the automatic speed protection system. "The crew had not identified

the cause of the aircraft's be-havior," it said. "This consti-tutes the pivotal event from which work has to proceed." The office's statement said the crew disconnected the automatic pilot prior to landing and

engaged the flight director and

automatic throttle. The flight

director indicates which direc-tion the pilot should take. The pilot did not know that once these two systems are engaged, the aircraft has an autonatic speed protection to limit its speed, an official said.

## 2 More Blows for Balladur

### for us to work over the decades Minister Resigns and Ex-Minister Jailed Over Corruption

PARIS — Prime Minister Edouard Balladur's political standing suffered a severe blow on Friday with the arrest and jailing of a former minister followed by the resignation of a cabinet member on corruption

Gérard Longuet, the industry r, danged id his resignation after a businessman accused him of seeking a 6 million franc (\$1.1 million) kickback to help finance his Republican

Party in 1988. This followed the arrest of Alain Carignon, the mayor of Grenoble and a former minister of communications, who re-

They are the highest-ranking figures to be implicated in a series of corruption scandals tainting Mr. Balladur's centerright government.

The latest charges against Mr. Carignon allege that he awarded contracts to the giant utilities company Lyonnaise des Eaux in return for kickbacks. His lawyer said Friday that he had not received any

money illegally. Mr. Longuet is under judicial investigation for the alleged illegal campaign financing of his Republican Party and for allegedly receiving kickbacks for the building of a luxury villa in the south of France. He denied the allegations, and Mr. Balladur gave him a month to clear his

But the fresh allegation against him on Friday, coming

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on top of the Carignon case, turned him into a serious liability for Mr. Balladur.

When he took office last year, the fight against corruption a top priority, following a series of allegations of sleaze against the defeated Socialist Party. His failure to root out mal-

feasance in government may have hurt him politically. sources said. Anything that hurts him may rebound in favor of the Gaullist Jacques Chirac or the Socialist Jacques Delors, both seen as likely rivals in the presidential elections.

But with some 60 "affairs" under investigation, the question of corruption runs across the political spectrum, ranging from individual wrongdoing to the illegal financing of parties.

A poll published Friday by

the weekly Le Point indicated that the French are losing patience with the ability of their politicians to control corruption. The issue is certain to become one of the major themes of the presidential campaign.

tioned in the poll, only about 40 percent said they were confident that Mr. Balladur could Mr. Balladur promised to make get a grip on corruption. However, they did not think Mr. Délors would do any better. Only 26 percent thought Mr. Chirac would be capable of

dealing with the problem. Although corruption has not yet reached the levels reported in Italy or in Spain, Mr. Balladur said the multiplication of affairs risked poisoning the entire body politic.

Mr. Balladur has proposed tighter controls on the personal finances of elected officials. He also wants a reduction of at least 30 percent in campaign expenses, which have ballooned as candidates have resorted to U.S.-style televised campaign

Candidates are allowed to francs in towns of more than 80,000 inhabitants, but they have found many illegal ways of getting around the ceiling.

#### Russian Airlines **Score Low Marks** In Safety Study

MOSCOW - Russian airlines, suffering a series of fatal crashes, only "minimally" meet international aviation safety standards, according to the results of a Russian-U.S. inquiry published Friday that urged immediate changes so the situation does not worsen.

The study was conducted by a team of 60 U.S. and Russian experts, who spent more than two months investigating at airports in 30 Russian areas.

The review body called for a new code spelling out the responsibilities of various departments charged with investigating airline accidents. The report also proposed a law establishing independent inquiries into airline accidents.

It warned that the status of the Russian civil aviation system must continue to be closely spend a maximum of 500,000 monitored over the next few years because of the "volatile nature of the Russian economy. and other forces" that could affect safety standards.

## TRAVEL UPDATE

### **BA Halts Concordes to Washington**

LONDON (Combined Dispatches) — British Airways said it would cease its thrice-weekly Concorde flights between Washington and London's Heathrow Airport on Nov. 8, citing lack of

Instead, BA will base one of its seven Concorde planes permanently at New York's Kennedy Airport and work at developing the North American charter market.

We were only flying to about 30 percent capacity on the route, and there is great demand on charters for Concorde now," a Under a court order, striking check-in staff of Scandinavian

Airlines System returned to work at Copenhagen's airport after paralyzing the carrier's European network for three days. SAS said service would be back to normal Saturday. Starting Saturday, Copenhagen will be joined with the European Continent by a 7.5-kilometer (5-mile) railroad tunnel, Europe's

second longest after the Channel Tunnel. A train that will run through the Channel Tunnel between London and Paris broke down on the English side. The disabled Eurostar high-speed train, which had been on a test drive from France, snarled traffic for up to two hours on parts of the British

Rail system in southeastern England. The last of three pits of terra-cotta warriors and horses near. China's ancient capital of Xian was opened to the public Friday. Visitors will be able to watch archaeologists as they unearth the figures, buried around the tomb of Emperor Qin Shihuang, founder of the Qin dynasty (221-207 B.C.)

Shanghai will ban smoking in all indoor public places starting (Reuters)

## Face-Lift for Decrepit JFK International Terminal

By Clifford J. Levy
New York Times Service

NEW YORK - Transportation officials have announced an \$800 million plan to rebuild the largest terminal at John F. Kennedy International Airport, the International Arrivals Building, a cramped and dreary relic of the age of propeller planes that many passengers avoid if they can. The proposal, by the Port Authority of New York

and New Jersey, is intended to bring about a sweeping renovation of the terminal, which is used by more than 40 foreign airlines and serves nearly half the international travelers at the airport.

It is to be the biggest chunk of a \$4.3 billion overhaul of the airport financed by government and private money. The plan also includes a new rail system for travel between terminals and a new air traffic control tower, officials said.

The terminal project, which could be completed within seven years, would create the amenities that are standard at many other airports but sorely missing from Kennedy: well-lighted waiting areas with stores and other conveniences; clear signs and pas-sageways; ample space for ticketing, baggage, customs and immigration, and gates that can handle more and larger jets.

The Port Authority has been accused of bungling a number of smaller projects at Kennedy in recent years, including a \$21 million tunnel intended to speed baggage to a mammoth new central terminal that was to have consolidated ticket sales, check-in

and shops in one building.

The tunnel was built, but the proposal for the terminal was later scrapped after the airlines, which ultimately would have had to pay for it, said they could not afford it.

The current plan for improving the airport was put together in response to the rejection of the central terminal idea.

In a separate proposal, the Port Authority wants to spend \$2.5 billion on a new railway line from

Manhattan to Kennedy International and La Guar-

dia airports, to be completed by the year 2003. And in July, four foreign airlines said they would build the first entirely new terminal at Kennedy in more than two decades, on the site of the old Eastern Air Lines terminal. Construction on the new terminal is expected to start next year, and it is scheduled to open in 1998. David Z. Plavin, director of aviation for the Port

Authority, said the renovation of the International Arrivals Building would be done in stages so the terminal could operate during construction.

Over the years, the building has been expanded to 1.4 million square feet (390,000 square meters) from 600,000 square feet in response to the increased volume of passengers and larger jets.

When the terminal was erected, it handled fewer than 2,500 passengers a day. Today, it handles up to 20,000 people a day at 14 gates and at 21 remote parking areas for planes, where passengers disembark and are shuttled to the terminal.

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WASHINGTON - As President Bill Clinton struggles with an array of interna-tional and domestic challenges, the inner man is the object of growing scrutiny.

Congress tore apart his legislative plans and he's being pilloried as an ineffective leader in the election campaign. Now several national magazine articles have attempted to pry into his psyche.

According to the latest armchair diag-noses, Mr. Clinton is:

 A premature adult who felt "primal abandonment" and used his rage "to drive forward, mediating ever-higher levels of conflict." - Mother Jones.

• A co-dependent enabler suffering from "multiple president disorder," who is "so open to suggestion as to be practically an empath." — The New Yorker.

Practiced from a distance, often by parti-

sans, mining the presidential mind can be a dubious venture. Fred Greenstein, a Princeton scholar and author of two books on presidential leadership, said that it "can readily become sheer bashing rather than character analysis."

#### It's an Amtrak-Leno Collision

WASHINGTON - Amtrak feels it has been taken for a ride by Jay Leno, and now it's getting even.

The train company is so exasperated by

being the butt of Mr. Leno's jokes on "The Tonight Show" that it has decided to yank about \$2 million in advertising from Leno's

Amtrak said its decision was to protest Mr. Leno's jokes about the safety of Amtrak's trains. Referring to an Amtrak ad that shows couple cozying up to each other on a train. Mr. Leno said on the air last week that he always knew "a near-death experience"

brought people closer together. An Amtrak spokesman, Howard Robert-son, called Mr. Leno's remarks slanderous. given that the majority of accidents involving

Amtrak trains in recent years have been the fault of others. He said that Amtrak had tried corresponding with NBC, "but it hasn't helped, so now we're trying to get their attention by hitting them in the wallet." (WP)

#### **NAACP Aide Accused of Fraud**

WASHINGTON -- Two months after firing its executive director, the NAACP is embroiled in another dispute involving one of its senior officers, William Gibson, the chairman of the board.

In three recent articles, Carl Rowan, the syndicated columnist, has asserted that Mr. Gibson had used his position as chairman for personal gain. Mr. Rowan, a former official in the administration of Lyndon B. Johnson, alleged that the chairman had used an American Express card provided by the civil rights organization to charge more than \$500,000 in airline travel, hotel expenses, car rentals and personal items since 1986.

Citing internal financial records of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Mr. Rowan also alleged that Mr. Gibson had received \$300,000 in questionable reimbursements since he began his tenure as chairman.

Copies of NAACP financial records viewed Thursday indicated that for 1990 Mr. Gibson was given either \$2,800 or \$3,000 a month. Copies of the checks list the reason for the payments as "board travel and per diem" or "office expenses." But the fact that the amount paid never varied raised the question of whether they constituted a stipend.

#### Quote/Unquote

Janey Anderson, 39, an advertising executive with a Miami newspaper and a former supporter of President Bill Clinton: "The problem is that although things are going fairly well in the country right now, we're not confident about Clinton. There isn't enough of a belief that he himself believes in what he

## Gingrich to Attack if Republicans Take House

By Ann Devroy and Charles R. Babcock Washington Post Service

WASHINGTON - Describing for a group of lobbyists the Republican strategy for the midterm elections, Representative Newt Gingrich declared that Clinton Democrats should be portrayed as "the enemy of normal Americans." The Georgia Republican went on to say that if his party won control of the House, it would use "subpoena power" and create a select committee on corruption to investigate the administration of President Bill Clinton.

Mr. Gingrich's speech, to a group of two dozen executives of government-relations com-panies, provided a detailed the House for the first time in 40 years and what they would do if they succeeded. One par-

Mr. Gingrich confirmed in an interview the accuracy of much of the memo but said some of the quotes attributed to him had been taken out of context. He said the actions he was proposing were not significantly different from those that the Democrats, who have controlled the House for 40 years, had inflicted on the Republican minority and Republican administrations

"Washington just can't imag-ine a world in which Republicans would have subpoena power," Mr. Gingrich said in the interview, "instead of being blocked by Democrats." He added: "Imagine the last two framework of how he thought years if we could have used sub-the Republicans could capture poens power to get to the botpoena power to get to the bottom of Whitewater," a reference to the investigation into Mr. Clinton's business affairs

Gingrich instead mentioned presidential appointees, such as Surgeon General Joycelyn Elders and Ira Magaziner, the ar-chitect of Mr. Clinton's health

care plan. He said Dr. Elders's advocacy of abortion rights and the availability of birth control in schools put her at odds with Americans with different religious beliefs. As for Mr. Magaziner, he said, "Normal Americans do not want government to take over every aspect of their

health care."
Mr. Gingrich added that he "threat" to normal Americans rather than "enemy."

Republicans need to capture 40 seats to control the House, and the memo said if the party fell slightly short, it would try to make up the difference with Democratic conversions.

Representative Jack Fields, a ticipant wrote a four-page before he became president.

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Texan who is in line to be chairman of the subcommittee on telecommunications and fi-

tained by The Washington Clinton was the enemy, Mr. nance in a Republican House, said he and some colleagues had already talked to some Democratic members about the possibility of changing parties. I think we will have a majority

on Nov. 8 or Nov. 30," he said, In the meeting with the executives, Mr. Gingrich offered suggestions for soliciting contributions from companies, lobbyists and individual donors:

 Individual donors should be told, he is quoted as saying, that the election is a chance for them to "get even for the Clin-

 Lobbyists should be told, should have used the word Mr. Gingrich says, that with proposed lobbying reform and and campaign finance legisla-tion, the Democrats tried to impose a "Stalinist" and "punitive" measure on them.

· Corporations should be told, he says, that Republicans have already saved them from new costs imposed by the gov-ernment "and look to the future corporate savings if a Bliley were to replace Waxman." That is a reference to Representative Thomas J. Bliley Jr. of Virginia, the ranking Republican member on the House Energy and Commerce subcommittee on health and the environment, chaired by Representative Henry A. Waxman, Democrat of California.

More than \$100,000 was raised for the National Republican Campaign Committee at a luncheon Wednesday featuring Mr. Gingrich and Representative Fields, a committee official said. The companies represented at the lunch have business before Mr. Fields's subcommittee and were invited by him.

"There's no question the average telecommunications company would like to see a change in Congress," he said, "They are also pragmatic and play both sides of the aisle. If change is what they want, the Republican Party believes more in less regulation, an open marketplace.

Companies listed as attending the luncheon included Bell South; Comsat; DSC, a Texasbased maker of telecommunications switching equipment; GTE; Nynex, and Pan-Ameri-can Satellite, a private company that has launched two communications satellites.

Fred Wertheimer, president of Common Cause, a self-style citizens' lobbying group, called the luncheon "a classic example of the abuses under the current campaign system." He added: "It also may help explain why there's nothing in the House Republican Contract for America' on campaign finance

## Haitians' \$79 Million Parachute

#### Junta and 600 Backers Regain Access to Funds in U.S.

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches

WASHINGTON - President Bill Clinton formally lifted sanctions against Haiti on Friday, and Treasury Department officials said the country's former military leaders and their supporters will have access to at least \$79 million in frozen U.S. bank accounts.

The money is held in individual accounts by the 600 Haitian military officers and supporters whose assets were frozen by the United States last spring, Treasury Department officials said. They said bank secrecy laws made it impossible to say how much belongs to Lieutenant General Raoul Cédras and his top deputy, Brigadier General Philippe Biamby, who left Haiti

for Panama on Thursday.
On Thursday night, Clinton administration officials defended the generosity shown to Haiti's leaders and their families as an incidental but necessary cost of guaranteeing a peaceful transfer of power. They also said they were disclosing the full amount of assistance the United States has pro-

"There is no bribe here, there is nothing hidden here, there are no hidden inducements," said W. Anthony Lake, the national security adviser. "I am not apologetic in the slightest here. This is a success."

On Friday, on the eve of his return to his homeland, Haiti's exiled president, the Reverend Jean-Bertrand Aristide, re-ceived a warm White House farewell from President Clinton, who said a "new era of hope" is opening for Haiti with the restoration of democracy.

With Father Aristide standing at his side, Mr. Clinton said that Haitians are "moving from fear to freedom" now that Haiti's military leaders have left and Father Aristide is about to

The two leaders spoke to a White House gathering of con-gressional leaders and others who have supported Father Aristide's reinstatement during his

three years in exile. Father Aristide thanked Mr. Clinton and others who helped his cause, vowing to bring an end to the violence in his country. In what has become a familiar refrain, he said, "No to violence, no to vengeance, yes to reconciliation."

#### After the ceremony, Mr. The Aristide camp chartered Clinton signed an executive ora jet for the return to Port-auder formally dismantling re-Prince. Father Aristide was to FLOWER & STILL LIFE PAINTINGS

maining sanctions against Hai-ti, effective with Father Aristide's return. Hundreds of thousands of

Haitians are expected to take to the streets on Saturday. Lieutenant General Henry Hugh Shelton, commander of the 19,500 U.S. forces in Haiti, expressed concern about possible mob violence and announced plans to take Father Aristide by helicopter from the airport to the presidential palace, rather than allow a motorcade.

Some affluent Haitians worried that followers of Father Aristide, who championed the rights of the disenfranchised before the 1991 coup, would come after them seeking retri-

In a speech to representatives of the Organization of Ameridignity.'

accompany Secretary of State Warren M. Christopher on one of two U.S. government planes making the trip. Father Aristide has less than

16 months left on his term in office, but U.S. officials expect he will come under strong pressure from supporters to extend his term to compensate for his three years in exile. His most difficult task will be

to win parliamentary confirmation for a prime minister, a goal that won't come easy unless he picks someone with broad po-(AP, NTT) litical appeal.

#### Student Is Killed in Vienna

The Associated Press VIENNA -- One student can States in Washington on was killed and 14 were injured. Thursday, Father Aristide said, two seriously, when large 'We feel hope, we Haitians. We chunks of masonry fell Thursare moving slowly but surely day from a balustrade of a ramp from misery to poverty with leading up to Vienna Universi-

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#### **Away From Politics**

• Weeks after a New York City police officer shot and killed a teenager who was carrying a toy gum, Toys 'R' Us has decided to stop selling realistic-looking toy firearms. "It is absolute fact," said a spokeswoman for the company, the world's largest toy retailer, in response to a Wall Street Journal report on the decision. Other retailers already have pulled some toy guns off shelves or are considering the move, the Journal said.

• Bacteria common to breast milk and yogurt can greatly reduce the risk of infants develop-ing diarrhea, indicating that such "good germs" can be added to foods to attack the worldwide health problem, researchers said.

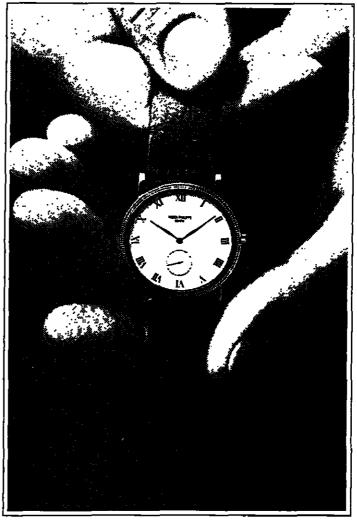
The southern approach to the Golden Gate
Bridge would be liable to collapse in a major earthquake, an engineering consultant said. A

San Francisco engineering firm, ISEC Inc., studied the effects of an earthquake hitting 8.3 on the Richter scale along the nearby San Andreas fault.

• A 12-year-old girl was handcuffed and jailed, and then released on appeal in Fort Lauder-dale, Florida, after refusing a judge's order to hand over her diary as evidence in the trial of her father, a detective, whom she accused of molesting her.

• An American Airlines jet en route from Dallas to Tokyo was forced to make an emergency landing in Seattle after a passenger tried to open one of the plane's doors, the FBI said. Asked about the man's motive, an FBI spokesman said, "I think it's safe to say that his behavior was probably erratic." Resters, NYT. AP. AFP

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## Los Angeles Plans a Camp For Downtown's Homeless

Los Angeles Times Service

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Mayor Richard Riordan's proposal, which has come under attack by some advocates for the homeless, calls for turning a vacant block into a homeless drop-in center, where up to 800 people could take showers and sleep on a lawn.

"This is not about clearing the streets of homeless people," said Deputy Mayor Rae Frank-

"It's about giving the homess people options so they don't have to stay on the streets."

But advocates for the homeless say that the proposal is just a misguided ploy to keep the tattered hordes away from businesses and, at the same time, out of the sight of tourists and

"We are not going to allow people to camp on the streets at will," said Don Spivack, head of operations for the Los Angeles Community Redevelopment

improper to camp in front of

other people's property." Mr. Spivack said he expected crackdown on such campouts to follow the shelter's opening. Under the mayor's plan, vans staffed by social service workers would patrol downtown

streets and transport homeless

people to the drop-in facility on

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## **AMERICAN TOPICS**

Milk's New Advertising Pitch: It's No Longer for Milquetoasts

After a decade of pushing milk as the drink that does a body good, the dairy industry is hoping you'll indulge when you want to be bad, too, The Associated Press reports.

The industry's new advertising cam-paign suggests a glass of milk with such sinfully delicious food as syrup-soaked waffles, frosted brownies and powdered

"These things make people think of milk," said Tim Kane of the J. Walter Thompson agency, which created the

Milk consumption has been falling over the past decade. From 1983 through 1992, the annual amount consumed per person in the United States dropped 14 percent, from 18.2 gallons to 15.6.

The new commercials began running two weeks ago. Two breakfast-oriented spots show milk being poured into a glass while bread pops from a toaster. powdered sugar doughnuts tumble from a bag and syrup oozes across a waffle.

One dinner ad shows a steaming plate of macaroni and a wine glass filled with milk. Another shows milk as part of a meal of steak, corn on the cob and a baked potato.

#### **Short Takes**

A committee of the International Union of Pure and Applied Chemistry has refused to name element No. 106 "seaborgium" after Glenn T. Seaborg, its codiscoverer in 1974 and the winner of the 1951 Nobel Prize in Chemistry. Why the refusal? Because, the committee said, Mr. Seaborg was still alive. "It's very disappointing," said Mr. Seaborg, 82. Albert Ghiorso, who helped discover 12 elements, including element No. 106, said: "Saying that we cannot name elements after people who are alive is ridiculous. I named einsteinium and fermium numbers 99 and 100, in 1952," when Albert Einstein and Enrico Fermi were both still alive. He said the decision would be appealed.

Ground was broken in Washington this ast week for a memorial to President Franklin D. Roosevelt, who died nearly 50 years ago. Mr. Roosevelt had requested nothing larger than the desk-sized stone slab that stands in front of the National Archives building. The new memorial will cover seven and a half acres (about three hectares) and cost \$50 million, of which 80 percent will come from the taxpayers. Mr. Roosevelt is buried at the family estate in Hyde Park,

Is the ivy that so picturesquely covers college walls a threat to those walls? "There are two schools of thought," says Dora Galitsky, a botanist at the New York Botanical Garden in the Bronx. "The one we quote says that if the mortar is in good condition, we don't think ivy will do anything to destroy it, but if it isn't, ivy becomes an avenue to destroy it further." Experts note that particularly dense growths of ivy trap moisture against the wall. But the consensus appears to be that it takes decades of dense ivy growing on very ancient walls to reach a dangerous state.

Ivan the gorilla has been flown to the Atlanta zoo after living alone since babyhood -for 27 years - in a glass cage in a Tacoma, Washington, mall. Animal rights activists had protested Ivan's lengthy isolation. In Atlanta, he will be slowly introduced to the zoo's 17 other

Harriet Hilliard Nelson, co-star of the long-running television series of the 1950s and '60s "Ozzie and Harriet," died Oct. 2 at 85. Her granddaughter, Tracy Nelson, recalls her three rules about show business: "One, you are entertaining people. Two, the show will close. Three, always take off your makeup before you go to bed."

Law firms usually have starchy and dignified names — Cadwalader, Wickersham and Taft, for example. But a few firms are known to their members, their colleagues and even to some clients by more amusing handles, The New York Times notes. San Francisco's Morrison & Foerster firm is commonly called MoFo, and O'Melveny & Myers in Los Angeles is often referred to as Oh Me Oh My. New York's Weil, Gotshal & Manges is referred to by competitors as

"We'll Getcha and Mangle Ya." International Herald Tribune

## Stressed Out, U.S. Women Blame Jobs

The Associated Press

WASHINGTON - America's working women are exhausted, with stress and low pay the most frequently cited job-related problems, according to the results of a government survey released Friday.

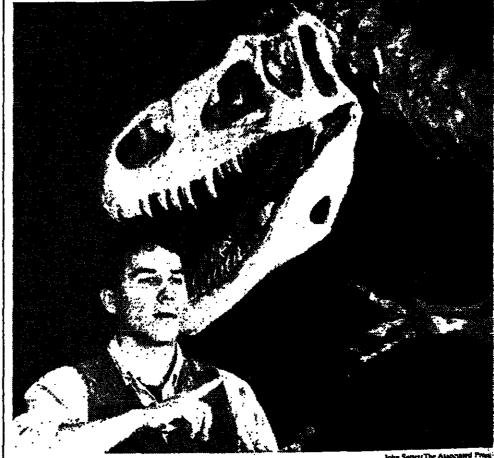
The survey, distributed by businesses, unions, newspapers, magazines and community service organizations, sought women's views on job satisfaction, pay, benefits and opportunities for advancement. More than 250,000 women responded. A parallel scientific survey of 1,200 women was conducted for comparison.

Stress was the problem most mentioned, cited by 60 percent of the respondents. Nearly three-quarters of women in their 40s who hold professional and management jobs listed it as their top problem, as did more than two-thirds of single working mothers.

Women complained of being paid less than their male counterparts and of having fewer opportunities for advancement.

The Labor Department said women typically earn 71 cents for every dollar earned by a man. The problem is even worse for women from racial and eth-nic minority groups. Black women earn 63 cents for every dollar the average man is paid, while Hispanic women are paid on average 54 cents.

The report said most women were "still segregated in lowpaying, traditionally female jobs in clerical, sales and service



Paul Sereno at the University of Chicago with a model of the theropod found in Niger.

## 2 New Species of Dinosaur Discovered

CHICAGO - Two new dinosaur species have been discovered in the Sahara, researchers announced. The discovery sheds new light on the kinds of dinosaurs that roamed the globe before the continents drifted apart and indicates that present-day Africa was connected to Europe by a land bridge at Gibraltar longer than had been suspected, they said.

At a news conference Thursday, Paul Screno, a paleontologist at the University of Chicago, unveiled a reconstruction of one of the

two previously unknown species, found in Niger —a theropod standing 7 feet (2 meters) tall at the hip and 27 feet long from head to tail. The second species, as yet unnamed and also found in Niger, was a plant-eating, long-necked sauropod stretching 55 feet.

The African dinosaurs bear a close resem-

B. Barbe

blance to more ancient species from North America, Asia and Europe as well as Antarctica, indicating that these groups had evolved and spread before the Northern and Southern Hemisphere continents completely broke

#### **BOOKS**

THE HOT ZONE

By Richard Preston. 300 pages. \$21. Random House.

Reviewed by Michiko Kakutani

THE scenes in "The Hot Zone," a riveting new nonfiction thriller by Richard Preston, will remind you of things you've seen in the movies: faces and bodies liquefying into bloody pulps, like the Nazis who were zapped by the Ark's magical powers in "Raiders of the Lost Ark."

scenes aren't the invention of an uses like the deadly Ebola and imaginative screenwriter or Marburg can cause their vicnovelist. They are the product tims to "crash and bleed out": of months of reporting by the that is, to die of shock, with New Yorker contributor Rich-"profuse hemorrhages from the ard Preston, who set out to tell orifices of the body. of the deadly new viruses that appear to be emerging from Af- expatriate who went on a hiking rica's rain forests, and the men trip to Mount Elgon in Kenya and women who are trying to in 1980, wandered into the myscontain them before they can terious Kitum Cave and, a week spread, like AIDS, into the hu- later, came down with a terrible man population at large.

Having immersed himself in the world of virus hunters and biohazard specialists, Preston acts as the reader's guide to this mysterious realm, explicating its technology and expertise, even as he's conjuring up its dangers. By combining his stor-ytelling skills with his breezy command of technical language, he is able to impart to the reader a fair amount of information and an overwhelming sense of dread.

We are told that "extreme amplification" means a virus has multiplied so rapidly that it has effectively taken over its The scary part is that these host. We are told that filovir-"profuse hemorrhages from the

There is the story of a French

pital, he was vomiting large amounts of blood and bleeding from his bowels. He was posthumously found to have had the Marburg virus, an African organism that "affects humans somewhat like nuclear radiation, damaging virtually all of the tissues in their bodies."

A form of the Ebola virus that swept through at least 55 villages in Zaire in 1976 is a relative of the Marburg virus. and even deadlier, Preston says.

The longest and most dramatic section of "The Hot Zone" deals with a suspected incidence of Ebola that broke out more than a decade later among a group of imported monkeys in a Washington sub-urb, and the all-out efforts of workers at the United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Diseases at Fort Detrick in Maryland to prevent its spread.

In relating this story, Preston

By the time he reached a hos- almost pruriently, on the horrible effects of the virus, as well as a penchant for portentous details that turn out to be red herrings. He concludes the book with unsubstantiated speculation that viruses like Ebola are evidence that "the earth is mounting an immune response against the human

> "the flooding infection of peo-ple, the dead spots of concrete all over the planet, the cancerous rot outs in Europe, Japan and the United States, thick with replicating primates, the colonies enlarging and spreading and threatening to shock the biosphere with mass extinc-

> The bulk of this book, however, is happily free of such sentimentality, and it makes for fast, swashbuckling reading. not to mention bad dreams.

Michiko Kakutani is on the displays a tendency to dwell, staff of The New York Times.

## "It is beginning to react to the human parasite," he writes, the human parasite," he writes, and the human parasite, he writes, the writes

New York Times Service

Iris Adrian, 81, an actress who played the brassy blonde in scores of films of the 1930s and 40s, has died at her home in Hollywood.

The cause of death, which occurred Sept. 17, was complications from injuries she suffered during the January Northridge earthquake, according to a

Many of Miss Adrian's roles were variations on one character: the gum-chewing, wisecracking blonde who showed up as a waitress, a nightclub floozy or gangster's girlfriend. Among the nearly 150 films she made were "Rumba," her first fulllength movie in 1935, "The in the Window," a 1944 thriller brief illness, her family said.

with Edward G. Robinson.

career as a dancer in the Ziegfeld Follies of 1931, two years after winning a beauty contest. In the 1950s, as movie roles dwindled, she began making television commercials.

But her film career revived in the late 1960s with roles in films such as "The Odd Couple."
"The Love Bug." "The Apple
Dumpling Gang" and "Herbie
Goes Bananas." She also appeared in many television sitcoms, including "Get Smart" and "The Ted Knight Show."

Joan Kahn, 80, Book Editor **Known for Suspense Imprint** 

New York Times Service NEW YORK - Joan Kahn. Road to Zanzibar" (1941), the 80, a book editor whose imprint second of Bob Hope's and Bing was a hallmark of suspense sto-Crosby's "Road" movies, "His ries for many years, died on Butler's Sister" (1943) with De- Tuesday at Mount Sinai Medi-

Born in Los Angeles as Iris of suspense novels, and her im- ar who wrote under the pen Natal, was unknown.

represented excellence for discriminating mystery lovers. She started the Harper Novels of Suspense during her 34-year ca-reer at Harper & Row, and also edited books for Ticknor & Fields, Dutton and St. Martin's Press, from which she retired in

Through the years, she signed such writers as Dorothy L. Sayers, Dick Francis, Patricia Highsmith, Michael Gilbert, Julian Symons and John Crea-

Frances Cagney, 95, wife of the late actor Jimmy Cagney, died Monday in Stanfordville. New York.

Barton A. Cummings, 80, a leading force in the U.S. advertising industry, died Sunday of heart and lung disease in Princeton, New Jersey.

Adrian Hosletter, she began her print, "A Joan Kahn Book," name Jocelyn Davey, has thed in London.

Eiji Suzuki, 8), a former chairman of Japan's Federation of Employers' Associations (Nikkeiren), died of heart failure Tuesday in Tokyo.

Virginia E. Montes, 50, a former national secretary and lobbyist for the National Organization for Women, died Thursday of a stroke in Atlanta.

## Attackers Kill 7 **In Squatter Camp**

DURBAN, South Africa -Unknown attackers shot and killed seven men, some of them bound with wire, in a squatter settlement near Durban over-

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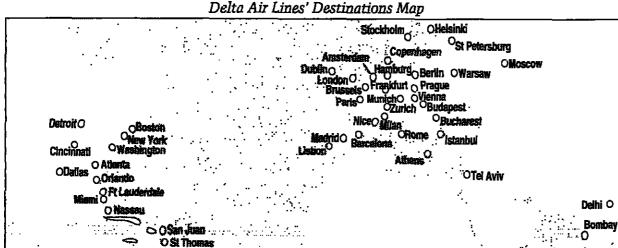
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Hédiard is celebrating its 140th birthday with the grand opening of its completely renovated shop, with the addition of a natural extension: a restaurant where customers can sample cuisine made with the products sold in its upscale grocery store. The restaurant is the ambassador of the food shop," says Jean-Louis Masurel, president of Hédiard. "People can discover different products in the shop and continue upstairs to the restaurant and find out what dishes can be made from them."

The concept chosen with architect Laurent Gire for the new Hédiard is a sort of souk, a marketplace where shoppers can wander at liberty among the sensual delights of fruits and vegetables, charcuterie, freshly baked bread and pastries, cheeses, prepared dishes for take-out, caviar and

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down on the colorful, fragrant bustle of the marketplace.

In keeping with the Hédiard theme, warm exotic woods have been used for walls and shelving. Matt-finished metal railings and appointments add a handsome modern touch.

The restaurant has been con-

served at any time of the day, but there is a traditional English tea service in the late afternoon.

In another deviation from the formal style of many Paris restaurants, Hédiard is encouraging a convivial, friendly atmosphere, where customers can chat with the staff about the ingredients. "This

is a new concept in France," says Mr. Gire. "It is a real restaurant within a shop, not just a place for a snack. The restaurant and the shop are intimately connected." The restaurant's at-

mosphere is like that of a traditional French bismo.

Charlotte Seydoux de Clausonne, the restaurant's hostess, was sent to Monaco, New York, Los Angeles, Tokyo and other cities in Asia to discover how restaurants are run abroad, "not to duplicate their style, but to borrow their best characteristics," she says. "Our first concern is friendliness. We want people to feel welcome. Women should feel comfortable eating alone here. There will be newspapers to read, and customers can eat quickly or take as much time as they want."

The restaurant staff consists of young people of different nationalities so that Hédiard's international clientele will feel at home. Naturally, the cuisine itself is international as well. The kitchen is supervised by Jean-Philippe Zahm, director of gastronomy, whose impressive credentials include time spent with renowned French chef Alain Chapel and four years as professor at the famous Tsuji School in Tokyo.

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ORLD CUISINES The restaurant's young chef, Frédéric Vardon, succeeded Zahm at Alain Chapel, Prestige consulting is provided by Alain Ducasse, chef of the Michelin three-star restaurant Le Louis XV in Monte Carlo's Hôtel de Paris.

The menu revolves around themes, such as Mediterranean or other celebrated world cuisines, that "express the flavors" of the products sold in the shop. Vegetable platters, another rarity in France, are also available. Prices are reasonable, runging from 60 francs to around 120 francs for a main course.

This would not be a French restaurant without fine wines, of course. Luckily, Hediard has one of the largest wine cellars in Paris, ranging from a table wine priced at 16 francs to an 1895 Château d'Youem at 38,000 francs. Guiding the selection is the English wine expert Steven

Spurrier. ELECTED WINES The wine selection forms the core of the shop. Staff can inform shoppers on which vintage to choose to go with their purchases.

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## Soldier's Death Clouds Nobel

## Peres, Rabin and Arafat Win Peace Award

By Fred Barbash

OSLO—The dawning of "peace and coop-cration" among Israelis and Palestinians was celebrated Friday morning with the announcement of the Nobel Peace Prize here, but by nightfall the return to violence in Israel cast a bittersweet pall over the day.

The decision by the Norwegian Nobel Prize Committee to bestow the honor on Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin and Foreign Minister Shimon Peres of Israel and on Yasser Arafat, chairman of the Palestine Liberation Organization, prompted the resignation of one of the Nobel committee members, who said the committee had chosen the wrong man in Mr. Arafat and, he added, the wrong time, because the peace was as yet too uncertain.

On Friday night, as tensions increased in Israel, the protesting Norwegian committee member, Kaare Kristiansen, went on television here with the equivalent of "I told you so." And late news reports on Norwegian television about the prize described it as being "overshadowed" by the unfolding drama in the Middle East.

The prize was especially meaningful to Norwegians this year because Norwegian diplomats, official and unofficial, had secretly brokered the accords that led to the ceremony and handshake on the White House lawn last

The Nobel Committee announcement. written before the events of the past few days. said the three recipients had "made substantial contributions to a historic process through which peace and cooperation can replace war and hate."

By the time of the news conference, at 11 A.M., the chairman of the committee, Francis Sejersted, felt the need to add a separate plea to all sides not to let the settlement reached last September fall apart. He noted that forces who oppose the peace process, not the PLO, were responsible for the kidnapping of the "young Israeli soldier" and pleaded for his safe return.

By nighttime, the soldier was dead.

Mr. Sejersted was followed. in a separate news conference, by Mr. Kristiansen, who said Mr. Arafat was too tainted by "violence, terror and torture" to merit such a prestigious prize. He said he had urged the committee to wait a year to see if the peace lasted before honoring it. In a rare breach of Nobel protocol, he then announced his resignation from

the five-member committee. In their news conferences, Mr. Sejersted and Mr. Kristiansen conducted what amounted to an impromptu debate on Mr. Arafat and the philosophy of the world's most covet-

The committee honors the cause of peace, not personalities, the committee chairman

"It is not our job to evaluate a life's re-cord," he said. "The committee does not want to be the supreme moral judges" of the world.

Even if you forgive Arafat," said Mr. Kristiansen, a former conservative cabinet minister and a longtime vocal supporter of Israel, "that is not a reason to give him the prize. Not all sinners who confess are given the prize. His past is too filled with violence, terrorism and bloodshed, and his future too uncertain to make him a Nobel Peace Prize

This year's prize, the formal statement stressed, "is intended by the Norwegian Nobel Committee to honor a political act," one

that "called for great courage on both sides." "Arafat, Peres and Rabin have made substantial contributions to a historic process through which peace and cooperation can replace war and hate," the statement said.

It was, as well, the first time the prize has been shared by more than two individuals, and only the third occasion in the prize's 93year history that a committee member has broken ranks publicly and quit. And it was the only time anyone here could recall that a newspaper reported both the dissent and the decision though without mention of Mr. Peres, in advance of the public announce-

The only surprise of the announcement on

Friday was the inclusion of Mr. Peres-While the cooperation of both Mr. Rabin and Mr. Peres was essential to the handshake with Mr. Arafat last year, Mr. Peres powered the secret talks that led to the moment.

According to close observers of the Nobel rocess here, the Oslo Accords that led to the handshake were the primary focus of the committee from the outset, although about 130 nominations had been submitted.

Mr. Kristiansen said he had stated at the beginning that Mr. Arafat was "a barrier" he could not surmount and that he would have to resign if the PLO chief were honored.

## **RUSSIA:**

#### Banker Resigns

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a noted bureaucratic survivor. apparently decided to give in to the president without forcing a parliamentary vote.

Russian officials suggested that Mr. Gerashchenko saw little to be gained by fighting, esnecially when efforts to control inflation are already slipping.

"Why stick around and become a scapegoat for everything that happens?" one official said. "Lei someone else do

There was no immediate indication whom Mr. Yeltsin might name to replace Mr. Ger-

Boris G. Fyodorov, a former finance minister who has been one of Mr. Gerashchenko's most vocal attackers, said Friday that he had not been offered any government job but that he would consider running the bank, an old ambition of his, if it were offered.

Mr. Fyodorov is said to have had a telephone conversation with Mr. Yeltsin on Thursday. Mr. Fyodorov quit the Jovernment in January in a vain effort to get Mr. Gerashchenko dis-

Earlier Friday, Mr. Fyodorov said that if it were really true that Mr. Gerashchenko had resigned, "That means there's a God on earth." Under Russia's new constitu-

tion, the president nominates a new chairman, and Parliament must confirm the nomination. It is doubtful that Mr. Fyodorov, a pro-market deputy, could win enough votes.

The speaker of Parliament, Ivan Rybkin, a Communist. said late Friday that he would accept Mr. Gerashchenko's res-

ments for Mr. Gerashchenko's replacement.

Pugnacious and unapologetic. Mr. Gerashchenko made no attempt to hide his scorn for the market reforms designed by the former prime minister Yegor T.

He insisted that his function was not only to control the currency through interest rates and money supply, as a Western central bank does, but also to engage in industrial policy.

The bank issued millions of dollars' worth of credits and subsidies directly to state companies, factories, mines and farms, as in the Soviet days, usually without informing the "enhance its military capacity overnment and the Finance Ministry.

The credits helped result in sion in charge of destroying its very high inflation that slowed very high inflation that slowed the already painful transition to KIDNAP: Hostage Dies in Raid Romanians Jail a market economy.

> But Mr. Gerashchenko argued that production was more important than inflation and that the state could not let huge gotiations were carried out via enterprises die, a position that attracted much support among Mr. Yeltsin's opposition.

Mr. Gerashchenko was roundly attacked by market reformers and was once called "the world's worst central banker" by a Harvard professor, Jeffrey Sachs, then serving as an adviser to the Russian government.

dissolved and shelled a year ago. Mr. Gerashchenko played a quieter role and cut credits, bringing inflation down to 4 percent a month early this sum-

But the bank recently began with a company of support issuing more credits, pushing troops at Camp Doha, north of monthly inflation back up to nearly 10 percent.



Helmut Kohl, left, and his challenger, Rudolf Scharping, facing off on a Hamburg street.

#### GERMANY: Kohl's Coalition Given a One-Point Lead

Continued from Page 1 ignation without the involvement of the Duma, or lower house.

But he urged Mr. Yeltsin to follow constitutional requirements for Mr. General behaviors. — the former East German Communist Party — or a weak performance by the Free Democrats. Either could thwart a maintenance of the status quo.

Yet some surveys show the status quo falling short of a ma-jority, which could leave the Social Democrats in the position of building their own coalition — either a "grand coalition" with Mr. Kohl's Christian Democrats or, less likely, with various combinations that could include the Greens, the Free Democrats or even the Democratic Socialists.

threw cold water on the notion of a grand coalition, which proved unwieldy during its only past incarnation, from 1966 to 1969, and would probably in any event be headed by Mr. Some of his allies, however,

have been hedging their bets. Gerhard Schröder, premier of Lower Saxony and perhaps the Social Democrats' slickest politician, said in an interview published Friday in the newspaper Bild-Zeitung that he could see himself serving as a cabinet minister in a Kohl government.

"I don't want a grand coalition, but neither do I want to rule out an SPD option for it," Mr. Schröder said.

After a dreary summer, Mr. In several interviews this Scharping sought to revive Soweek, Mr. Scharping firmly cial Democratic hopes this fall former Communists. He also erful and popular party leaders. ing.

Saarland's premier, Oskar Lafontaine, a tart-tongued populist who was trounced by Mr. Kohl in 1990, and Mr. Schröder, often touted to head the party in the 1998 campaign, agreed to quit sniping at Mr. Scharping and to vigorously campaign for him in exchange for promises of powerful cabi-net positions.

The pact, which even a Kohl strategist conceded was "a smart move," added some vigor to the Social Democratic campaign and eased voter concerns about Mr. Scharping's lack of national experience. But it may have been too little, too late for him to win the chancellor's seat.

The Dortmund rally featured a joint appearance by the three, with Mr. Schröder and Mr. Lafontaine receiving at least as ruled out any coalition with the by forging a pact with two pow-much applause as Mr. Scharp-

## **Ulster Foes** Plan First Meeting to ! Settle Strife

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By James F. Clarity

DUBLIN - In what officials here describe as a historic and significant event, representatives of the overwhelmingly Roman Catholic Irish Republican. Army and of Protestant paramilitary groups, as well as political leaders from Northern Ireland and the Irish Republic, are expected to meet within a month for their first formal

The talks, probably in Dublin, will be aimed at a definitive political settlement of the 25year sectarian warfare in the British province of Northern Ireland.

The meeting will mask the first time since the guerrilla warfare began in 1969, and indeed since southern Ireland gained independence in 1922, that representatives of the paramilitary killers and political leaders of nonviolent parties have faced each other across a

The Forum for Peace and Reconciliation, as it is called, is also expected to show the considerable differences between the groups and provide an indication of how flexible, or intractable, they may be on crucial issues such as British troop withdrawal and the IRA surrender of its weapons and ex-

In one sense, the Forum, which could have several sessions, will be group therapy, in which once-vehement enemies. responsible for the deaths of each others' family members: and friends, get to look each other in the eye for the first

The office of Prime Minister Albert Reynolds of Ireland confirmed Friday that the talks were expected to begin at the end of this month, or early in November. The meeting is to include only officials from Ireland, north and south, without British participation but with a British approval.

The meeting is to be the first formal step toward broader negotiations that are expected eventually to include all the Irish groups and British offi-

Prime Minister John Major of Britain has approved the Dublin meetings and is ridely expected to approve destings between British officers and Sinn Fein, the IRA political wing once he is consisted that the IRA cease-fire—in its 44th day Friday—is permanent. The Protestant paramilitary groups announced a cease-fire that becan Thursday at midthat began Thursday at midnight.

With violence now suspended in the Protestant-dominated. British province, a scenario on how the peace efforts will ad-

vance began to take shape.
First, the Dublin meetings of politicians and paramilitaries will explore basic constitutional and security problems. Then, three months after Britain decides that the cease-fire is permanent, London will begin exploratory talks with Sinn Fein and the Protestant groups. Then, perhaps in the spring, negotiations involving all sides. could begin.

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## IRAQ: Unconditional Acceptance of Kuwait Reported

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Saturday by the Security Council on the movement of Iraq's forces toward Kuwait.

Russia has not yet agreed, however, and its envoy, caught in a growing confrontation between Washington and Moscow, said Friday that he preferred to wait until Mr. Kozyrev arrived in New York on Sun-

The UN envoy, Vasili Sidorov, did not say if Russia would cast a veto if the United States called a formal meeting for Saturday.

The text of the resolution, expected to be co-sponsored by Moscow, saying: "I don't think Britain and France, was not to we are on a collision course. We be introduced until later Fri- are having discussions." day, and a 24-hour wait is a normal courtesy.

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Mr. Perry traveled to Kuwait from Saudi Arabia, where he

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their troops.

The chief U.S. delegate to the United Nations, Madeleine K. Albright, said she was pushing believe it is very important for us to get on the table the way we

Albright said the resolution had "nothing to do with sanctions but with the provocative actions the Iraqis took in moving

She denied that Washington

ormal courtesy. Mr. Saddam to withdraw per-The resolution demands that manently his elite Republican Iraq pull back its troops to posi- Guard but allows about 30,000

GULF: Perry Warns Iraq to Remove Armored Units

if Iraq balks at pulling back.

"We cannot accept that de-

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Mr. Perry said in remarks

quoted by the AP. Indeed, if those forces stay in the south,

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threatening and destabilizing."

at a news conference in Dhahran that the United States would bolster its troop deploying Kuw

Specifically, the document demands the following:

• That Iraq withdraw all military units recently deployed to southern Iraq to their original future and take no action to

The draft resolution requires

■ That Baghdad not deploy such units to the south in the

• That Iraq cooperate fully with the UN Special Commisdeadly weapons.

in southern Iraq."

Force base in Dhahran. He said priate action to deal with this

ment even higher than planned those forces north, only if they

The use of force is implicit rather than explicit in the resolution, which threatens "serious consequences" in the preamble rather than the operative part of the resolution.

Mr. Perry said upon arriving in Kuwait, "Only if they move

truly remove the threat in Ku-

wait, will we terminate our de-

ployment, and only when that

happens will we consider a

phased drawdown of our de-

ployments."
Mr. Perry subsequently met

Kuwait City.

(Reuters, AP, AFP)

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#### Continued from Page 1

sheikh and other prisoners. Nean Arab member of Israel's Parliament, Talab Sanaa, and the head of the Islamic movement in Israel, Raid Salah. There was hope, but Rabin

killed the hope and the soldier, said Mr. Sanaa, who described the attack as "inappropriate." "There were chances to bring out the soldier alive," he said.

Earlier, Mr. Sanaa said he had received a verbal proposal After the old Parliament was from Mr. Rabin's office and en-

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Israel's rightist opposition had told the government that they would accept negotiations with Hamas if there was no other option besides a military one. In Jerusalem, the despondent

mother of Corporal Waxman asked Jewish women around the world to light a Sabbath candle for her son as the deadline drew near. In a video released by the kidnappers, Corporal Waxman pleaded with Mr. Rabin to release the Palestinian prisoners, saying he would be killed otherwise. (AP, Reuters, AFP) throw of communism.

# U.K. Couple as

years and four months in jail Friday by a Bucharest court for buying and trying to smuggle a baby out of Romania, officials

The lawyer for Adrian and Bernadette Mooney said she had immediately lodged an ap-

peal and had applied for the couple to be released on bail. The two were not in court for the guilty verdict. The Mooneys, arrested on July 6 with a 5-month-old girl hidden in their car, were prosecuted under new adoption laws.

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By Molly Moore

Washington Post Service NEW DELHI — The Indian government on Friday released one of Kashmir's most popular and influential political leaders. Shabir Shah, from prison five years after he was jailed under the country's controversial terrorist law.

Mr. Shah, who had been la-Will be sarred a see beled a prisoner of conscience by the London-based human The sale with the sale of the rights group Amnesty International, is the third moderate Kashmiri political leader to be released in the last two weeks by the Indian government.

time once he and the second of He was greeted by a cheering crowd of about 700 people on capital or under the second of his release in Jammu, the winter pendence from predominantly

Hindu India.

Indian officials said the

Kashmiri political leaders were

The Lorum for Res being released in an effort to allow preparations for elections Collected to the in the war-ravaged state next spring. But Mr. Shah, as well as de able different the state and problem other leaders who have been released, say that they will not participate in elections and that they believe the government will not conduct fair elections.

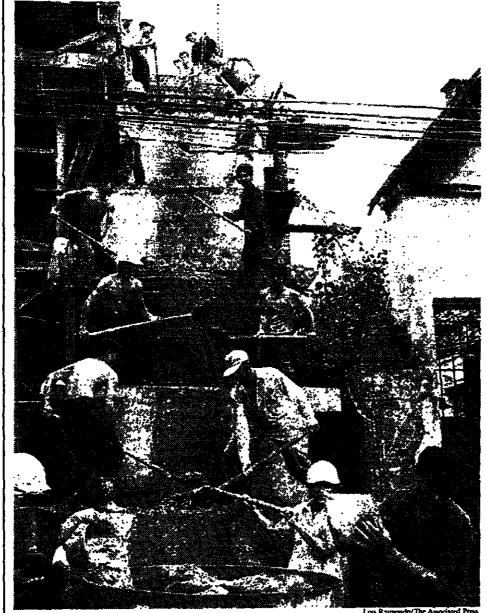
When India last held elections in the Himalayan state in 1989, only 5 percent of voters turned out because of a boycott called by militant organizations and a pervasive belief that the elections would be rigged.

The Indian government has acknowledged widespread complaints that its 1987 elections in the state were rigged to put national ruling party candidates in office.

The office of Page. Albert Reynolds of he In recent interviews, many Kashmir leaders said that they doubted the government's sincerity in wanting to hold elections and that they believed the current prisoner releases were timed to coincide with ongoing United Nations sessions, in which the Kashmir issue and allegations of human rights vio-The morting is left: lations associated with the civil war are likely to be raised.

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spending cuts required to boost overall efficiency and national savings rates.

But they argue that President Fidel V. Ramos's initial successes will strengthen his hand in marshaling controversial re-forms through a combative legislative process.

"In 38 years of banking, I've never seen anything quite like it," said Gabriel Singson, gover-nor of the Central Bank of the Philippines, speaking of the growing boom, "And I am con-fident it will be sustained." Investment bankers from Hong Kong are now flocking in for business, not vacations. Thirty major foreign banks have applied for 10 new branch li-

Encouraged by an overall upguel Corp. recently introduced a premium beer that sells for country after years of turmoil. two and a half times the price of its regular brand.

"I was doubting it myself un-til last December," said San Mi-Delfin C. Gonzalez Jr., of Presiprovement has given people a lot more confidence in the government's ability to get things

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style shopping malls are more ic reform program begun dur-crowded than ever. ic reform program begun dur-ing the presidency of Corazon C. Aquino and to comply with turn in consumer spending, the guidelines set down by the IMF food and brewing giant San Mi- have begun to bear fruit as political stability returns to the

"We no longer face the political upheavals that obstructed the economic reform agenda," said Antonio Samson, an execuguel's chief financial officer, tive with Philippine Long Distance Telephone Co., a onedent Ramos's pledge to solve time monopoly now having to the power crisis. "But the imadapt to competition.

"There is a much more probusiness attitude by government a deliberate and consistent attempt to court foreign

Exports and investment-led pan like the late 1980s," said economic growth are likely to Mr. Gonzalez, echoing the bull-exceed 5 percent this year, low economic growth are likely to ishness found throughout the for Southeast Asia, but the highest rate since the Philip-45 years. Property prices are re- The Ramos government's de- pines' last boom, six years and covering, and giant American- cisions to stick with an econom- one bust ago.

## East Asia and Europe Steady Their Footing

By Michael Richardson International Herald Tribune

SINGAPORE — In a major effort to defuse tensions between East Asia and Europe, a group of leading political and business leaders from the two regions agreed Friday on a wide-ranging program to build

The proposals are intended to "reset the balance" between East Asia's strong ties with North America and its more distant links with Europe, said Klaus Schwab, head of the World Economic Forum, which set up the Singapore meeting.

The proposals included a call for regular gatherings of East Asian and European heads of government similar to the informal summit meetings of leaders from countries in the Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation Forum.

The first summit meeting of that forum, held in Seattle in November, caused concern in the European Union, where it was seen as an attempt by some American and Asian states to "gang up" against Europe on trade issues.

A deputy prime minister of Thailand, Supachai Panichpakdi, said it would be useful for East Asia to have a similar consultative arrangement with Eurone to deal with trade, investment and other issues.

Mr. Schwab said the proposals agreed to on Friday were the result of extensive consultations and consensus among meeting participants.

be easy to gain unanimous government acceptance in Europe and East Asia for some of the far-reaching proposals on trade and investment liberalization.

The persistent tensions beagain Friday when Raymond Barre, a former prime minister of France, criticized Mahathir bin Mohamad, the prime minister of Malaysia.

Mr. Mahathir had said in a of Europe still had to get rid of an attitude that "some will call incredible arrogance" before a genuine partnership of equals could be built with East Asia.

Mr. Barre said such a statement was "unacceptable." Asian descriptions of the European Union as a highly protected fortress, he said, were belied by East Asia's large and growing trade surplus with Europe. Japan's trade surplus with

in 1993, while the rest of East Asia had a trade suplus with Europe of about \$12 billion. East Asian states must adopt long-term strategic view, said Yeo Cheow Tong, Singapore's

minister for trade and industry.

threats by developed countries.

the EU amounted to \$40 billion

"If they wish to continue growing to enjoy higher stan-dards of living and to power this growth through exports, they must allow others, in turn to export to them," he said. "It is no longer tenable for East Asian countries to argue on the one hand against protectionist

But analysts said it would not while on the other hand continuing actions that restrict trade and investment."

Mr. Yeo said that East Asian governments would "need to behave as responsible global citizens and take concrete steps tween the two regions surfaced to deregulate and liberalize their economies."

Mr. Supachai said that East Asia feared that the recent rise in anti-dumping actions by the EU against imports from Asia was a sign that Europe was respeech at the meeting that most sorting to nontariff barriers to block foreign competition.

to control the spreading use of anti-dumping measures.

A number of European leaders said that the Union was emerging from recession with a strong competitive position in key industries and would be able to take full advantage of the export and investment opportunities offered by East Asia's rapid economic growth.

Martin Kohlhaussen, chairman of Commerzbank AG of Germany, said that, until recently, Europe feared East Asia's economic challenge.

"But the tide has turned," he said. "The benefits of closer The meeting's proposals said said. "The benefits of closer was essential that European economic ties are now percountries make a commitment ceived to outweigh the costs of adjustment related to fiercer

## Clip Shows Belgian Rightist Desecrating Jewish Tomb

BRUSSELS - An extreme rightist city council member quit Friday, less than 24 hours after Belgian television showed a video of him urinating on a Jewish grave at a meeting of neo-Nazis in Germany last February.

Daniel Leskens resigned his National Front seat on the city council of Anderlecht, one of the 19 cities that make up metropolitan Brussels. He won that seat in local elections last Sunday in which extreme rightists scored well across Belgium.

On Thursday, the RTBF French-language television net-work broadcast a video showing Mr. Leskens urinating on a Jewish grave as another man gave the stiff-armed Hitler salute. It said the footage was shot last February at a gathering of former Waffen SS officers in Germany attended by some Belgian neo-Nazis.

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#### **PARIS FASHION**

## And the Beat Goes Up

By Suzy Menkes International Herald Tribune

ARIS - As the models spun on a fairground carrousel to hurdy-gurdy music, they summed up the optimism and joie de vivre of this sea-

son's fashion merry-go-round.

Jean-Paul Gaultier's magical show in the Musée des Arts Forain, was spunky and witty, with its take on fashions through the century. It was also filled with strong modern clothes that underlined the elegant. womanly direction that the spring/summer season is taking.

The show opened with outfits representing each decade from lacy Edwardiana to futuristic miniskirts. But then Gaultier set the carousel spinning, mixing genres so that Edwardian underpinnings or a 1920s chemise were made out of blue denim, or a 1930s housemaid's print went on a chiffon dress. For accessories too, button shoes would go with hot pants, a 1950s chignon with modern tailoring and a show-stopping parasol hat with anything.

Underneath the fairground frolics were contemporary clothes: a softly-tailored coat dress; a cappuccino satin blazer; or a biascut slip dress. For his finale, Gaultier typically went right back to Eve, with a fig-leaf of sequins. It was a splendid show.

Emanuel Ungaro's show Friday flew a flag for upbeat fashion. Dresses - his major statement — pranced out in a rainbow coalition of colors and patterns: flowers here, spots there, often both together, with animal prints. Although a few of those pelt prints could have been exterminated, they were graphic, and the show's general effect was fresh and fun. Models gyrating to disco music against a United Nations backdrop of flags made a lively finale.

Not that Ungaro had so much new to say, although there were a few New Length, tothe-knee, A-line skirts. The designer had his heart in short, flippy skirts, one in coin dots with a froth of petticoat. But Ungaro said the show was about liberty, and it had a sense of freedom in the varied lengths, flirty skirts and swishing ponytails.

Ungaro addressed the question of what to wear to work - or at least to lunch: pearl-gray suits or a coatdress like an elongated tailored jacket. He even had the outfit to wear to an Indian-theme party: a Rajasthan vest, tunic, hip shawl with coin fringe and gypsy-in-your-sole sandals. Ungaro's curvy little black dresses trimmed with bright pink marabou feathers set the audience tapping their feet.

The music, like tinkling, splashing, glugging water, came from gourd-shaped instruments. And the bright, sweet colors in which Issey Miyake dressed the Liu orchestra made a magical backdrop to his merry show.

The standing ovation for Miyake — the first of the Paris season — was not just for the colors coursing down the runway: almond green, fondant pink, baby blue in one shadow-play outfit. It was for the invention, imagination and creative energy that Miyake brings to his show each season. For summer, he played subtly with color, pairing spinach



Polka-dot dress from Ungaro.

with lettuce green or a shower of confetti-

colored pastels He also used mat and shimmering textures

and prints that were like colored raindrops. All the research into fabrics and finishes was lightly worn in simple clothes, easy and sporty, but with the focus now on dresses, as well as shirt-jackets with pants. They were interspersed with show-stoppers: hooped dresses bouncing like bedsprings. In a poetic finale, Miyake showed ethereal dresses, as fine as rice paper, while the orchestra, dressed in sweet pea-colored pleats, took a bow.

What is there to say about Martine Sitbon's show — except that she has taken a shine to satin this season? That meant licorice-black trouser suits or cropped tops with narrow pants to open the show and then peacockbright Charmeuse blouses with pinstripe tailoring. Not shiny enough? Then there were Suzy Wong dresses appliqued with flowers; or the pearlized leather jackets; or the glitter sparkle white suit; or high-gloss vinyl pants. Last season Lolita. This time Saturday Night Fever. Sitbon follows the fashion action.

The closing days of the Paris season will focus on the couture houses parading readyto-wear. The object is to offer a strong, coherent image, without frightening the upscale customer. Wearable tailoring — severe jack-ets with softer pants and skirts — was sent out at Lanvin. But designer Dominique Morlotti seems to be offering options rather than any fashion message. So coats were long and strict or they were loose duster coats. Linen dresses were short and curvy — or long and graceful. Evening wear, especially black dresses hobbling the knees, suggest that most women - and certainly this designer should stick with pants.

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Detail of Whistler's "Crépuscule in Flesh Color and Green: Valparaiso," oil on canvas, 1866, at the Tate Gallery retrospective.

## 3 Faces of Whistler: Still an Enigma

ONDON -- More than 90 years after his death, James McNeill Whistler remains as enigmatic and fascinating as he must have seemed to those who knew him well

Perhaps no one ever really got to read this smooth, witty, supremely intelligent man, with three equally convincing per-sonas, who spoke with a British accent

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when confronted with Americans and put on his finest Yankee drawl when talking to the English. His work is the subject of a retrospective at the Tate Gallery in London through Jan. 8.

The die was cast from the day of his birth, in 1834. The Whistlers were an American family from the South but Major George Washington Whistler, his father, was a civil engineer who kept moving about. They were living in Lowell, Massachusetts, by the time young James was born.

The boy was only 9 when they were transferred to Saint Petersburg, where he got to learn French, then a second language to the Russian aristocracy, and took his first drawing lessons at the Imperial Academy of Fine Arts. The next port of call was London for just over a year. At last, the family moved to Connecticut. Young Whistler went to Christ Church Hall for two years, entered the U.S. Military Academy at West Point in 1851, and in 1854 was unceremoniously chucked out for failing in chemistry. The fact that he was at the top of the class cut no ice with the military. Determined to study art, Whistler left for France in September 1855, never to return to America.

A stint at the Ecole Impériale et Spéciale du Dessin in 1855-1856 was followed by another in the studio of the academic painter Charles Glevre. Whis-

He started as a tradition-oriented enraver, haunted by his admiration for Dutch Masters. "La Marchande de Mou-tarde," an etching of 1858, draws on "Nocturne: The Solent," on loan from call it a nocturne."

mette," is a portrait of his companion done under the influence of Rembrandt. quoise sea under a sky that almost blends than in the terms of its subject matter. Painting in that vein alone would have Whistler's meeting with Courbet, which took place in the summer of 1858, led to a drastic change of orientation. He turned his attention to everyday life in the poorer districts of Paris. With works such as "La Soupe à Trois Sous," a terse etching closer to Manet than to Courbet, a realist artist seemed to be in the making. This phase reached an apex in 1859 with a large oil painting, "At the Piano."

A woman in black is seated at a grand piano while a young girl in a white frock leans on the other side. The scene is broadly painted. If a realist, Whistler was one who could not be bothered about detail. "At the Piano," alas, was rejected by the Salon, Stung, Whistler left for London in 1859, where the picture was better received in 1860. He settled there.

In the meantime, the artist had started exploring new avenues. A passionate collector of Chinese blue-and-white porcelain, Whistler paid visits to a shop in Paris scap called La Porte Chinoise, on Rue Vivienne. It was almost certainly there that he was introduced to the world of Japanese prints. Its impact can be detected in the composition "The Balcony." However. a preliminary sketch for it shows that Whistler's primary interest lay in movement and color balance -it is an essay in turquoise greens and purplish pinks - not in outline, of which there is none, in contrast to Japanese woodcuts.

NDEED, the influence of Far Eastern art took a more diluted form than the deceptive japonisme suggests. It drove him to a minimalist approach to color and detail. In this respect, the Far Eastern factor curiously combined with another great influence, that of advanced English watercolorists. 'Crépuscule in Opal: Trouville," done in 1865 in very pale shades, is the closest that a landscape in oil by the artist ever tler was on course for a multitrack career. got to a Turner study in wash and pen. Whistler developed a highly original landscape style, evocat

Whistler left for Chile in the hope of taking part in what the artist imagined was a social revolution against Spain. Once in Valparaiso, Whistler painted views that were not all that different from what he might have done in Britain. The "realist" was obsessed with his own vision, not with reality. A sketch of 1866, Nocturne in Blue and Gold: Valparaiso Bay" betrays the impact of Japanese composition in its bird's-eye view perspective. It is an essay in bichromy, pale beige and pale blue.

For a few years, Whistler carried the "Noctume" theme to extremes. In "Nocturne Gray and Silver," the painter fixed the image of dark night floating over the deep rurquoise-green Thames under a sky of the same color. Without the faint suggestion of a turret, the picture would barely be identifiable as a figural land-

The high point was reached in 1875 with "Noctume in Black and Gold: The Falling Rocket." Specks of gold come down against the backdrop of foliage indistinctly perceived at night and the dark reflections of blackish-blue water. A small draped figure is painted like a shred of color. Mysterious and beautiful, the dreamlike view was nevertheless ridiculed by John Ruskin. The art critic (who was a competent watercolorist) called it a pot of paint flung in the public's face. Fearing the commercial implications of Ruskin's pronouncements. Whistler sued him for libel. The court case gave rise to a famous exchange between the attorney-general. Sir John Holker, and the artist. Holker: "What is the subject of Nocturne in Black and Gold" Whistler: "It is a night piece and represents the fireworks at Cremorne Gardens."

Holker: "Not a view of Cremorne?"

Whistler: "If it were called 'A View of Cremorne' it would certainly bring about nothing but disappointment on

Painting in that vein alone would have been enough to secure a place in art history for Whistler. But the surprising

artist simultaneously practiced an utterly different style. In his portraits, painted with great skill, he gave evidence of his admiration for Goya and others. The likeness of Cicely Alexander, seen standing, escapes categorization. Painted in 1872-1874, it is neither academic and "Victorian." nor remotely Impressionist. Like some of Manet's portraits, it belongs to the tail end of the great Western por-

ROM then on. Whistler meandered between tradition-inspired portraits, some of them academic and anecdotal, and highly advanced landscapes and scenes. Among these, the styles vary greatly. "The Riva — Sunset: Red and Gold," of 1879-1880, is a Venetian pastel, romantically evocative. "Green and Pearl -La plage, Dieppe," a watercolor done in 1884 or 1885 reduces a crowd on a beach to spots of color in a pale sandy expanse.

As he grew older, Whistler returned to the figural. His drawings of a dancing woman seen from the back and "Mother and Child," done about 1890, display an alacrity and a softness that are astonishing from an artist of his advanced years. His last self-portrait is a conscious and, perhaps, none too felicitous effort at seeing himself in Rembrandt fashion. But the shining intelligence, the zest for life, the sparkle of irony are all there.

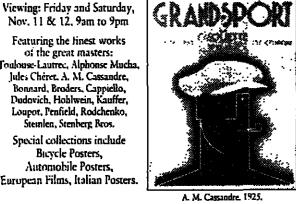
Since the early 1890s, Whistler had been a celebrity in the United States, where his work was bought on a massive scale. In 1902, he struck a friendship with the rogue banker Richard A. Canfield, who became one of his main collectors, after Charles Lang Freer. The painter did his portrait ironically titled "His Reverence" and died within weeks on July 17, 1903. George Vanderbilt and who took his coffin to Chiswick Cemetery. Whistler would have loved this Pieter de Hooch's composition, while anthe little-known Gilcrease museum in This was the first time that a Western belated homage of the uppermost giltother etching of the same year, "Fu- Tulsa, Oklahoma, shows three ships sail- artist defined what he painted other edged layer of the establishment.

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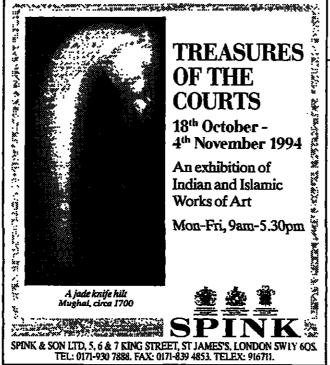
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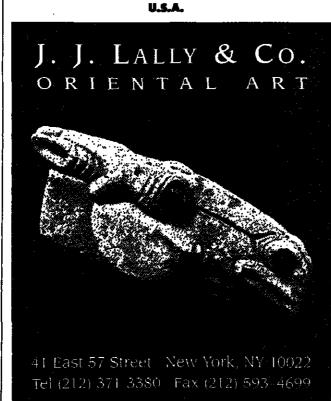
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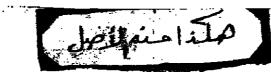


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## Closer to Peace in Ulster

#### It's Major's Turn to Act

Northern Ireland's Protestant militias took a dramatic step toward resolving the province's intractable civil war Thursday by renouncing violence and calling for a new era in which "our children ... will know the meaning of true peace." This follows the Sept. 1 cease-fire by Sinn Fein, the political wing of the Irish Republican Army.

The two main combatants have stepped back from the battlefield; now it is Britain's turn. Prime Minister John Major needs to do his part to keep the process going, by convening peace talks with all parties. Mr. Major has so far refused to consider talking directly with the Irish republicans on the grounds that their peace declaration was not "permanent." But permanence can only come as mutual trust builds. The IRA's cease-fire has held for six weeks, desoite provocations and despite the Protestants' earlier refusal to declare peace. The danger of letting this unique moment slip by is much greater than the risk of trusting the IRA.

The question now is whether Mr. Major has the courage to see this moment for what it is, and act. It is a moment that could not have happened without the pre-

ceding steps, all of which required courage. Prime Minister Albert Reynolds of Ireland and Mr. Major set the stage with their declaration in December, offering to bring the IRA into the dialogue if it permanently renounced violence.

#### Barriers Coming Down Ten years ago this week, the level of

violence in the struggle over Northern Ireland reached a shameful new level. In an attack on the political leaders of Britain, meeting on their own territory, Irish Republican Army terrorists bombed a hotel in Brighton during the Conservative Party's annual conference. Four were killed and more than 30 injured, though Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, the apparent target of the blast, was not hurt. That catastrophe, condemned by Dublin and Washington, stiffened London's resistance to the terrorists and brought about renewed efforts in Washington to stem the flow of American money to the IRA. But the violence continued for another decade during which some Protes-tant extremists in Ulster formed death squads that imitated and eventually exceeded the killings of the IRA.

Britain's Conservatives were meeting again this week, but this time the news on Ulster is good. Only six weeks ago, Gerry Adams, the leader of Sinn Fein, the IRA's political arm, announced a ceasefire and a desire for peace talks. That cease-fire has held, but it was tested early on by at least two acts of terrorism from the Protestant side, one of which resulted in a death. Now, the announcement that all parties have been waiting for has been made: On Thursday, the Combined Loy-

President Bill Clinton deserves credit for extending a visa to allow the Sinn Fein leader Gerry Adams to visit the United States earlier this year. At that time Mr. Adams's voice was banned from the British media. Given the opportunity to speak to an American audience, he realized he needed to take the next step, and vowed to "take the gun out of Irish politics."

Shortly after he returned home, the IRA declared its cease-fire and the Brit-

ish gave him back his voice. For Mr. Major, there are other considerations. With elections looming, and his Conservative Party looking pitiful in the polls, he needs to hang onto Conservative seats in Northern Ireland.

He has long shrunk from the risk of taking actions the province's die-hard loyalists would view as betrayal. But with this new declaration, it is clear that even the die-hards are weary of violence and hungry for peace.

As Mr. Adams noted Thursday, "The

only force still involved in military opera-tions [in Ireland] are the British." Mr. Major can begin by announcing plans to scale down the British presence, and setting the stage for talks among all parties. In the Middle East, in South Africa and all over the globe, the romance of guerrilla struggle is fading as long-simmering feuds marked by terrorist violence are being re-

solved with words and compromise. Per-

haps now it is Ireland's turn to start the long, hard march toward peace. - THE NEW YORK TIMES.

alist Military Command, an umbrella group of Protestant guerrilla organizations, announced that its units would universally cease all operation hostilities" beginning at midnight. This pledge puts all parties on board the movement to peace through negotiation. And it is a velcome development for Prime Minister John Major, whose Conservative Party has not been unanimously supportive of his steps toward reconciliation.

Cease-fires are not in themselves solutions, but they make progress toward peace possible. Undoubtedly, the Protestants, hardened by 25 years of IRA violence, were skeptical about the latest overtures toward peace and highly suspicious that the one-sided cease-fire would last. But six weeks of calm have been convincing, and international support for laying down arms must have been encouraging.

In Ulster, barriers at the border crossings have begun to come down. Families in both religious communities have gotten a taste of life without constant fear of gunfire and bombs. And government leaders have had a chance to emphasize the dividends that an end to violence will bring to the economy of Northern Ireland. There is much yet to be done, much to be tested and much to be agreed upon, but the prospects for a lasting peace in the province seem real.

- THE WASHINGTON POST.

## **Steady Against Saddam**

Saddam Hussein's latest bout of adventurism in the Gulf again forces on other nations the question of how to prevent him from keeping the region churned up and insecure indefinitely. The latest idea, and one that seems to be gathering some allied support, is to restrict the forces he could station in southern Iraq. One purpose would be to trim the military threat to Kuwait. Another would be to demonstrate conspicuously to the Iraqi people that he cannot protect the sovereignty and integri-

ty of the Iraqi nation.

It is a good idea. Not all the allies agree on the particular version of it that ought to be tested. The Americans and British have been readier than the French and Russians to make the existing flight-exclusion zone in southern Iraq free of all Iraqi ground units and weapons. But a consensus solution would leave Saddam Hussein a good deal less able to make trouble in the Gulf than he was a week ago.

The Iraqi leader complains that the United Nations is treating him differently from everybody else. No sooner does he claim to meet one UN demand — to allow international monitoring of his military capabilities, for instance — than another is put before him, to recognize the sovereignty and borders of Kuwait. He is right to say that more is demanded

of him than of conventional miscreants. There is a good reason: He is an uncon-ventional miscreant, more duplicitous, more dangerous, more tenacious. Saddam's Iraq does not deserve a break from others; others deserve protection from Saddam's Iraq. Whether they can gain sufficient protection while he rules in Baghdad is precisely the question they are attempting to answer now.

Sanctions remain in place, as they should. They keep pressure on Saddam Hussein to respect the UN resolutions. His pressure against them, including his military feint toward Kuwait, shows their effect. The Iraqi people are suffering from the sanctions. But much of that is because he denies them what relief they could get if he took up the long-available international option to let Iraq sell oil under international supervision for humanitarian supplies. President Bill Clin-

ton is right to hold steady on sanctions. - THE WASHINGTON POST.

### Other Comment

#### Going It Alone in the Gulf?

The firm international support that quickly gathered behind the bold American-led response to Iraq's most recent threats toward Kuwait has begun to show disturbing signs of slippage.

France and Russia have powerful com-

mercial reasons for going easy with Iraq. Both countries stand to gain billions when trade and investment with Baghdad again become legal. This consideration,

of course, influences their diplomacy. Could the United States act to enforce its own restraints on Iraqi actions in southern Iraq without a specific new Se-curity Council mandate? Washington has already indicated that it believes it has that authority, under existing UN resolu-tions and Article 51 of the UN Charter.

Clearly, strong international support for keeping Saddam in line is preferable; it is not, however, strictly required.

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## If the Germans Were Voting to Redesign Europe ...

PARIS—Germany's national election this weekend can be expected to change little in the country's foreign policy, even if Chancellor Helmut Kohl's governing Christian Democrats are forced into a "grand coalition" with the Social Democratic Party.

Such a coalition would presumably result from a collapse of Mr. Kohl's present coalition partner, the Free Democratic Party. There could also be a significant rise in support for the ex-Communist Party of Democratic Socialism in what used to be East Germany, where unification has proven a disappointment. The ex-Communists at best will surpass the 5 percent vote that would let them into the Bundestag, but their success in the polls has created a political-psychological shock, threatening what German commentators have called "the East's revenge."

However, foreign policy is unlikely to change, on German initiative at least, since no substantial alternative has been proposed to Germany's present commitment to Western alliance and European integration. But the choice may not lie with Germany. There's the rub.

Western alliance depends on the United States. In the next few years the growing force of isolationist opinion in America may have no important practical consequences for NATO and Europe. It is likely to be another matter in the longer term; but sufficient to the day is the evil thereof. For the present, the German problem revolves around relations with

By William Pfaff

France and the nature of Europe's continuing unification.

The German majority is committed to a form of unification that would see a European government assuming a substantial part of the sovereign authority now exercised by national governments. This is the official model for Europe's future integration, implicit in the Maastricht treaty.
Mr. Kohl's Christian Democratic part-

ners, the Christian Social Union, are hostile, preferring a "federal" model for Europe in which nations would cooperate but not cede sovereignty. And obviously the German nationalist right is against it. But for the German majority, European

unification has seemed a solution to the problems of German identity and German history. The individual kingdoms, duchies and cities of Germany - united into one nation only a little more than a century ago, with disastrous consequences in two world wars and Nazism - would find a new identity as elements in a new Europe-an union in which nations are abolished, or at least in which they yield economic sovereignty and abandon their individual war-making authority.

Will there be such a Europe? Can there be? Britain says no. The Conservative Party rank and file, at the party's just-ended annual conference in Bournemouth, made plain its vociferous opposition to this kind

of Europe. It is clear that the British public majority, while favoring Britain's mem-bership in the European Union, is unwill-

ing to see a sovereign Europe. In France this issue has yet to be seriously confronted. There is much doublelanguage, and even double-thinking. The French believe that Europe must be built around French-German cooperation, and they understand that Germany wants (and needs) real integration. And vet the French remain profoundly anchored in not only the concept of but the emotional need for national sovereignty and self-sufficiency; and this makes it extremely unlikely that France really would ever accept the kind of Europe the

Germans say they want. It thus is extremely hard to believe that Germany is going to have the Europe it says that it wants, at least during the foreseeable future. Germany is going to remain a sovereign and responsible nation, with all of the tensions, griefs and dangers that implies. What another century will bring is another matter. The

next decade is what now counts.

Germany's need is for security and reassurance that it is solidly anchored in a democratic community. It needs this above all as Germans realize that they are not going to have the kind of Europe in which their nation can lose itself and cut free from its history.

What is urgent is to give Germany a secure eastern border — to surround it with democracies committed to mutual

security. That means bringing Poland and the Czech Republic into the European Union and under NATO protection as

rapidly as possible. Bringing them into "Europe" is resisted mainly because this threatens established commercial and corporate interests in the West. A serious NATO extension is held to threaten political evolution in Russia by provoking Russian nationalism. What about German nationalism?

Europe really cannot afford its present dawdling pace in integrating the East. NATO, under U.S. pressure, is equally on a dangerous course in attempting to turn itself into an open-membership fo-rum for political-military dialogue and cooperation — a kind of armed CSCE (Conference on Security and Coopera-tion in Europe), in which NATO's strate-gic role and bite are sacrificed to political good intentions.

The democratic nations of Europe are not going to dissolve into some larger entity, by which dangers are caused to vanish. They need practical cooperation now, with political as well as military solidarity to secure their mutual security as well as that of their neighbors. Germany above all needs this. If it does not get it, a decade from now the rest of Europe, and Russia and the United States, may all be very sorry - and the Germans somest of all.

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## Let Us Slice Away at Saddam's Control

NEW YORK — Saddam Hussein stands a pretty good chance of carrying it off again. Once again he has created a military crisis and been forced by American power to back off. And yes, once again he could end up with a deal that allows him to remain in total control at home. grow in prestige abroad as a lead-er of Islam and rebuild for a new attack against the United States and its Mideastern allies. Nice?

President Bill Clinton suddenly has arrived at the same decision point President George Bush reached after he led the allied coalition to a stunning military victory over Saddam. Would he push on toward ending Saddam and his tyranny?
Mr. Bush decided not to do

that because it would have meant carrying on the war a while longer. There's not much point batting that one around anymore. The fact that American troops had to return to the battleground they won settles that argument.

But Saddam Hussein, faced again by U.S. troops, withdrew the additional divisions he sent to the Kuwait border. So Mr. Clinton does not have to face a decision on whether to keep a war going.

What he does have to do is use his own demonstration of American military and will power to shrink Saddam's control of Iraq.

William Perry, the U.S. defense secretary, suggested one such way: an exclusion zone that would forbid Iraqi troops, troop movements or heavy weapons in

By A. M. Rosenthal

Another would be to order Saddam to cease his constant use of Iraqi troops against Iraqi Shiite dissidents in the south, end his military blockade of the Iraqi Kurds in the north and pull back from Kurdish-run territory.

But what is going on? The United States has moved away from the Perry idea and similar suggestions to cut down Saddam's control. Instead it proposes that Saddam be told not to send back to the Kuwait border those 20,000 new troops he is already pulling out. He would be free to use them to go on killing other enemies, like Iraqi Kurds and Shiites.

And he would still keep 35,000 troops in the Kuwait area.

Only one thing will be left to punish Saddam: the oil embargo. Only the embargo stands between him and the billions of dollars he wants to rebuild his military.

France, China and Russia will fight to lift the oil embargo so they can go through with the already typed-up deals with Iraq. They will get Iraqi oil, Iraq will get Western cash and Russian and Chinese weapons. The Middle East will get more war and American troops another chance someday to face the dictator who was

supposed to have been buried. France, Russia and China say the embargo should be lifted because Saddam supposedly agreed to permanent monitoring of his programs for weapons of mass destruction. Does anybody believe he will do that, once the embargo ends? He still has Scud missiles, chemical munitions, his entire biological weapons programs — and is digging new deep underground shelters and tunnels to produce and store the weapons of mass destruction he is not supposed to make anymore. The information is from R. James

Woolsey, director of the CIA. The United States now insists it will not agree to lift the embargo until Saddam changes his behav-ior. That, says Madeleine Albright, U.S. delegate to the United Na-tions, includes stopping the repression of his own people.

Since he could not do that and still stay alive, it is a fine policy --or at least part of one.

But it would have meant a lot to Iraqi rebels, and shortened Saddam's hold on power, if his latest threat had also been met with immediate steps to reduce his control over them and their country. The sensible way to do that, in addition to embargo, is to slice away at his authority over Iraq's territory and his ability to use his armed forces as essential tools of government and terror. An exclusion zone or three would slice well. Western diplomats sometimes pull long faces and say that might lead to the breakup of Iraq.

Well, well. Does containment of Iraq now suddenly mean guarantee of Saddam's own territorial control of the millions of Iraqis who have fled to the mountains and the swamps to escape him? Where is it written?

The New York Times.

## Clinton Should Do More Than Just Stand Firm

By Charles Krauthammer

WASHINGTON -- "The easiest way to achieve complete strategic surprise," notes the Eisenhower biographer Stephen Ambrose, "is to commit an act that makes no sense." Pearl Harbor and Hitler's invasion of Russia are classics of senseless surprise. The senselessness accounts for the surprise, which accounts for the initial success. In the end, however, the gamble is so reck-lessly unsound that it fails.

Saddam Hussein is addicted to the senseless surprise. In 1980, he tried it on Iran; in 1990, on Kuwait. Both wars brought him disaster. But addicts don't learn, Is

he trying to do it again?
Possibly. Perhaps he thought a weak, distracted Bill Clinton might let him get away with retaking Kuwait. If he did, he was mistaken. Mr. Clinton put on an admirable display of decisiveness, deterring Iraq with a swift, bold buildup of American forces.

More likely, however, Saddam was not counting on a full cave-in Mr. Clinton. Rather than planning to invade, his objective was more limited: getting sanctions lifted. And despite the conventional wisdom, his logic here was not all that crazy.

True, this show of aggressiveness makes it harder for his UN Security Council appeasers — Russia and France — to plead his case. But they were never Sad-dam's problem. Saddam's problem is the United States. It keeps moving the goalposts so that even his concessions bring no relief from the embargo. How to get the United States to soften?

Well, how have the North Koreans gotten the United States to soften? Saddam is gambling that he can turn Kuwait to his advan-tage just as the North Koreans turned the bomb to theirs. The North Koreans have shown that you can violate international agreements, renege on commit-ments, directly threaten an American ally - and come out ahead.

No punishment, no sanctions, quite the contrary: Washington, frightened by military threats, offers all manner of rewards trade, aid, diplomatic ties - if only the miscreant will do what he was committed to doing in the first place. Saddam could easily have hoped for some of the same.

His troop movements should be seen therefore not as a onetime bluff, but as a demonstration of his capacity to create recurring crises at will — and thus an invitation to negotiate. The United States cannot defend Kuwait from thousands of miles away. Nor can it keep ginning up and then winding down the kind of buildup going on today.

Saddam thus has something to offer Mr. Clinton: a guarantee against future crises in return for an easing of sanctions.

And this is where Saddam miscalculated. Mr. Clinton cannot engage in a second Korea negotiation. His credibility received a deserved boost from his strong response to Saddam's provocation. Backing into talks now would squander his political gains and expose him yet again to charges of fecklessness.

Iraq is Mr. Clinton's chance to prove that he can stand his 4 ground. But standing is not enough, The United States needs to keep from getting permanently trapped into Kuwaiti gnard duty. It needs to regain the initiative.

Two ways. First, impose a notank zone in southern Iraq (joining the flight-exclusion zone). If no Iraqi tanks are allowed south of the 32d Parallel, 130 miles (210 kilometers) from Kuwait, the United States will not have to keep a large garrison there. U.S. planes will be in a position to disrupt and disperse any Iraqi threat long be-

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fore it reaches the Kuwaiti border. Unfortunately, the administration appears to be abandoning this idea because of Security Council opposition. In particular, France is opposed. So what? The United States bore the brunt of the Gulf War. It will bear the brunt of any future war.

The French don't like it? They should be told, in the most delicate diplomatic language, to stuff it. (That's what diplomats are for.) The United States should declare Saddam's threatening maneuvers a clear violation of the Gulf War cease-fire (that is what State Department lawyers are for) and invoke the right to prevent him from breaking it again. If the United Nations will not impose a no-tank zone, America should impose it unilaterally.

But a no-tank zone is not enough. It is important to demon-strate that Saddam cannot provoke crises with impunity. There must be a price to pay for disturbing the peace. What price? Declare the goalposts for lifting sanctions permanently moved. No relief until Saddam is gone. Use the worldwide revulsion with Saddam and the reminder of his aggressiveness to make overt what has been covert policy up to now: It does not matter what Saddam agrees to, the United States will veto all

sanctions relief so long as he rules. Iraq is economically desperate. Saddam would not have launched his latest senseless surprise otherwise. If Bill Clinton hangs tough. he could actually finish the war that George Bush didn't.

Washington Post Writers Group.

## IN OUR PAGES: 100, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

#### 1894: Strauss Jubilee

VIENNA — The festivities in connection with the jubilee of Vienna's popular composer, Johann Strauss, commenced here yesterday evening [Oct. 13], at the Theater an der Wien, with the premiere of Strauss' new operetta of "Jabuka" (das Apfelfest). Herr Strauss was called no less than forty-seven times before the curtain during the performance, and appeared to be delighted over his success.

#### 1919: Tsar's Gems Taken

LONDON - Well known as the slayer of Rasputin and a close connection of the murdered Tsar, Prince Yussupoff has been the victim of a daring jewel robbery in London, diamonds val-ued at £24,000 having been stolen from his apartments. It is notorious that a quantity of the

Russian crown jewels were smuggled into England shortly before the late Tsar's abdication and placed for safety in various banks and strong rooms. Among them were a hundred Cape diamonds, and it is these gems which have now disappeared.

#### 1944: Rommel Is Dead SUPREME HEADQUAR-

TERS, ALLIED EXPEDI-TIONARY FORCE - General Field Marshal Erwin Rommel has "died of his wounds," the official German news agency announced tonight [Oct. 15]. Marshal Romanel, the "Desert Fox" who almost took Egypt for Hitler in the dark days of the war, had been announced as German anti-invasion commander, but an Allied bomber squadron cut short a second test of his generalship against Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery.

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## Kuwait's border region. Haiti Needs Its Own

By Michael Mandelbaum

Mandela

WASHINGTON — When Jean-Bertrand Aristide returns to Haiti, he will face a doubly daunting task. He must conciliate his enemies while dis-

appointing his supporters.
This is hardly unprecedented.
The anti-Communist democrats who took power in Eastern Eu-rope in 1989 faced the same problem. So did Nelson Mande-la's government in South Africa. But solving it will be harder in Haiti. And if Father Aristide fails, the price will be paid not just by Haitians but by the United States.

Like Eastern Europe's demo-crats and Mr. Mandela, Father Aristide is the legitimate leader of a majority long oppressed by

a more powerful minority.

Hait's economic elite can be viewed as the equivalent of the former Communist establishment in Eastern Europe and the white community in South Africa. And as in Eastern Europe and South Africa, in Haiti this minority will retain the power to subvert the government.

For the sake of social peace, the democratic authorities in Eastern Europe and South Africa decided to forgo settling accounts with their former op-pressors. Father Aristide will have to do the same.

That is why a broader grant of amnesty than most Haitians seem to favor is necessary, even at the expense of justice. The returning president must

other reason. Political stability

requires economic progress,

which in turn requires capital

and those who know how to use it. Both are to be found in the ranks of Haiti's economic elite. Just as Eastern Europeans have had to allow the transformation of Communist function-



aries into entrepreneurs and bankers for the sake of building a market economy — and black South Africans have had to consent to the protection of the farms and businesses of whites - so too the vast majority of

the rich for the sake of longterm prosperity. Prosperity will require not only indulging the rich but frustrating the poor. Many Polish workers, the shock troops of Solidarity, lost their jobs to the realities of the new market economy. And Mr. Mandela has had to conduct a fiscal policy geared to the demands of the

poor Haitians will have to toler-

ate the villas and limousines of

financial markets rather than those of the black townships. Haitians will expect immediate improvement in their lives. But trying to satisfy that expec-tation holds all manner of perils. Sensible economic policies are incompatible with redistrib-

uting the assets of the rich. The government will lack the funds to raise social spending dramatically. And foreign aid should be channeled into investconciliate his enemies for anment, not consumption.

For most of the 20th century,

a revolutionary was someone like Lenin or Mao who led a successful insurgency, took power for life, and exercised strict and often deadly control

revolutionaries is to administer

of a stable Haitian democracy. over the lives of millions. Now the fate of successful

the harsh economic prescriptions of the International Monetary Fund and leave office at the decree of the constitution or the voters, perhaps with a Nobel Peace Prize as a consolation and, beyond that, the prospect of a healthy and just society. If Father Aristide can persist in policies of political concilia-

Haiti will have a chance to escape its historic patterns of poverty, misery and repression. The question is whether he can. His recent talk of reconciliation has been reassuring. His record in office in 1991 was not.

tion and economic restraint,

He was a polarizing figure.

If he reverts to that pattern, the U.S. forces could find themselves caught in the cross-fire of a civil war. And then, as in Somalia a year ago, there would be an irresistible demand in Congress and the country for their immediate withdrawal, doom-

ing democracy's chances. But if Father Aristide can find the foresight, the generos-ity of spirit and the political skills to be Haiti's Mandela or its Vaclav Havel, the U.S. forces will be the universally accepted guardians of a peaceful process. And that could be the beginning

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## Goldman Starts **Job Cuts**

Firm Lays Off 70 Employees

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches NEW YORK - Goldman, Sachs & Co. on Friday began its expected 5 percent work-force reduction, laying off 70 employees in its fixed-income and currency and commodity trad-

The cuts affected 5 percent of the employees in those divi-sions, which include the investment bank's J. Aron currency and commodity trading unit. The layoffs, including 14 in London, are likely to be followed by more in the next few

Goldman announced the cuts three days after it named 58 new partners, the largest group of new partners elected at one

time to the firm.
Goldman, the richest investment bank on Wall Street, is struggling against sharply lower trading and underwriting profit because of this year's bond market tumble. Other Wall Street firms already have made

Due to the prolonged, industrywide turndown, some belttightening has been necessary," a Goldman spokesman said.

We are convinced that by taking the right steps now, even though they may be painful, we will do as well as possible, while conditions are difficult, and emerge even stronger when industry conditions improve," the statement said.

The company earned \$2.3 billion last year before taxes. Goldman is on track to earn \$600 million to \$700 million for fiscal 1994, which ends next month, a partner said.

Goldman has been conducting annual reviews of employees' performances to be used in de ciding which of its roughly 9,000

(AP, Knight-Ridder, Reuters)

## **Expansion for Microsoft** Firm to Lead Market After Deal for Intuit

By Lawrence M. Fisher New York Times Service

SAN FRANCISCO - Microsoft Corp., the world's largest software company, put it-self in a position to dominate the emerging market for per-sonal finance software with its acquisition of Intuit Inc., producer of the leading personal finance program.

In the software industry's largest acquisition ever, Mi-crosoft acquired Intuit, which produces the personal fi-nance program Quicken, late Thursday in a stock swap val-

ued at about \$1.5 billion. The accord shows that Mi-crosoft will expand its dominance through acquisitions when its ability to do so with its own products fails.

Quicken, with 6 million us-ers, is already the leader by far in financial software for personal computers and is used by a few small banks in the United States as the means for letting their customers do their banking from home. If Quicken can become the dominant software for electronic financial transactions --- whether through personal computers and modems or interactive television sets and cable systems - Microsoft could skim royalties or

Recurring revenue from the use of a product such as Quicken could easily outweigh the sales of the software itself, which is priced at \$40. By charging a small fee for each transaction using Quicken, Intuit, Intuit shareholders

fees from each transaction.

Microsoft could see its profits

"Intuit is a phenomenal company, and it is a unique situation where the sum is greater than the parts," Microsoft's chairman and chief executive, William H. Gates 3d, said Thursday, "Certainly managing finances, in the broadest sense, is one of the

'Intuit is a phenomenal company, and it is a unique situation where

the sum is greater than the parts.' William H. Gates 3d,

Microsoft chairman

major opportunities that that electronic world will present. That is a major part of the future of software, and Microsoft wants to be there."

Although the acquisition was announced after the close of trading Thursday in New York, shares of Intuit had risen in recent days on speculation about a deal with Microsoft. But Intuit still surged \$17.125, to \$67.375, on Friday. Shares of Microsoft fell \$1.3125, to \$55.9375.

Based on Microsoft's closing price and an exchange ratio of 1.336 shares of Microsoft stock for each share of would receive \$74.65 a share. Should Microsoft's stock price drop further, the ratio would be adjusted to maintain a floor value of \$71 a

In acquiring Intuit, Microsoft is conceding the weakness of its own personal finance software, Money, which has captured only a tiny share of the market.

Apparently to meet antitrust concerns, Microsoft as part of the deal will sell Microsoft Money to its software rival, Novell Inc., which in-tends to fold the product into Novell's Wordperfect line of software products. The terms of the sale of Money were not disclosed.

Acquiring Intuit, which had net income of \$25.4 million before various special charges relating to merger ac-tivity and sales of \$223 million for the fiscal year that ended in July, would nearly double the revenue of Microsoft's home software business and give more weight to its plans for the home banking field and other on-line ser-

Microsoft had been reported to be developing an on-line service with the code name Marvel. But Intuit, in addition to its home-banking arrangements, already offers on-line updates of mutual funds' performance and other financial data to the users of its software.

Intuit also recently acquired the National Payment Clearing House, an electronic

## U.S. Reports **Show Inflation Under Control**

WASHINGTON - U.S. inflation was moderate last month, retail sales posted a healthy gain and America's factory operating rate eased off a bit, the government said Friday in three reports that analysts viewed as depicting a healthy economic expansion, control

over inflation Economists said the rash of statistics should ease worries that the Federal Reserve would soon increase interest rates because of inflationary pressures.

But overall, analysts said that the group of reports Friday depicted an economy that is growing at a healthy, sustainable

pace. "We are growing slowly enough to keep inflation in check," said Gordon Richards, chief economist at the National Association of Manufacturers. We are seeing steady growth in demand and production with low, stable inflation."

Robert Dederick, a chief economist at Northern Trust

Co. in Chicago, said: "This is the best of all possible worlds." Bonds rallied on the bullish inflation news, which lessened the likelihood of the Federal Reserve System raising interest rates immediately. That in turn supported stock prices.

In Friday's reports, the government said:

• The small 0.2 percent advance in the consumer price index reflected a big drop in enercoffee prices after two huge monthly gains.

 Retail sales rose a moderate 0.6 percent in September, following a 1.1 percent August increase. Analysts said consumers, who account for two-thirds of total economic activity, were continuing to spend but not at a pace that threatens to overheat

 Output at the nation's factories, mines and utilities was unchanged in September after 15 straight increases, reflecting in part a General Motors Corp. Corp. strike that slowed car production. The factory operating rate, which is closely watched for signs of inflationary bottlenecks in the manufacturing sector, actually declined slightly to 84.6 percent, down

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## L&F Sale Ends Kodak Divestiture

ROCHESTER, New York — Eastman Kodak Co. said Friday it would sell the do-it-yourself products business of its L&F Products unit to Forstmann Little & Co. for \$700 million, marking the completion of most of its divestiture program.

Kodak, a photography and chemicals concern, will transfer all assets related to the home improvement business, including brand names, product formulations and technology, plus production and distribution facilities.

For Kodak, the sale marks the completion of its move to dispose of businesses not related to its core photography and imaging businesses

In total, Kodak stands to collect about \$7.8 billion for the units it is selling.

In an internal memo last month, Kodak said it was likely to fall short of its earnings goal and would have to slash costs in the fourth quarter to meet its year-end target, a person familiar with the company

pected the unit to fetch as little as \$400 million.

## **ECONOMIC SCENE**

## Nobel as a Gauge of Change

By Peter Passell New York Times Service EW YORK - The 1994 Nobel Memorial Prize in economic science, a \$930,000 award to be divided among three pioneers in the field of game theory, celebrates achievements in building foundations for analyzing interactions among businesses, nations and even biological species.

But just as important, the prize awarded to John F. Nash of Princeton University, John C. Harsanyi of the University of California at Berkeley and Reinhard Selten of the University of Bonn acknowledges a shift in economics that has occurred in the last two decades.

Economics has been a discipline dominated by the concept of perfect competition competition among so many participants that no single buyer or seller need worry about the responses of others.

Perfect competition has proved to be a

powerful idea, one that predicted how free-market economies would evolve and gave policymakers a reliable way of figuring out how best to encourage growth as well as a fair division of the economic pie. In a world of hostile takeovers, trade wars and big government, classical economics is

giving way to game theory, an approach that focuses on the give and take among players. While classical economics works for the international market in wheat with thousands of buyers and sellers, it takes game theory to try to figure out how a supermarket will change the price of English mulfins if its

competitor marks down bagels.

It "opens up terrain for systematic thinking that was previously closed," said Paul Krug-

man of Stanford University, who has applied game theory to international trade.

John von Neumann and Oskar Morgenstern, economists at Princeton, invented the field. Their book published in 1944, "The Theory of Games and Economic Behavior," was the first to delve deeply into the likely consequences of strategic interactions, where all the actors must consider the potential for reaction. Both of them have since died and so were not considered for the Nobel prize.

John Nash, who received a doctorate from Princeton in 1950, is widely credited with laying out the mathematical principles of 'games" — or rivalries — in which everyone knows what everyone else knows and every-

one behaves in his own self-interest. "Nash is the point of departure" for all modern game theory, said Avinash Dixit, an economist at Princeton and a co-author of "Thinking Strategically," the first guidepost for predicting the consequences of rivalries. But one glaring limitation of Mr. Nash's

work is the assumption about perfect knowl-

edge of rivals' motives and resources. Compaq Computer Corp. does not know exactly what Apple Computer Inc. is prepared to invest to build a better laptop computer. For that matter, it does not even know whether other companies are preparing to jump into the market, and under what cirastances. Here the work of John Harsanyi, a Hungarian-born mathematical economist, filled the theoretical breach in the late 1960s. "Harsanyi gave shape to the fog in real-world games," Barry Nalebuff of the School

of Organization and Management at Yale See GAMES, Page 13

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#### **Japanese Panel Brings Insider Charges** By Steven Bruil of the company's system for two years ago with U.S. prod- Osaka prosecutors to indict 32 ding after a series of stock mar-ket scandals highlighted the ees of Nippon Shoji. Four oth-

ernational Herald Tribune

TOKYO - After two years, Japan's securities watchdog commission brought its first insider-trading case Friday, but rather than prevent abuses the case is likely to underline the panel's weaknesses.

The 32 employees to be indicted appear to be only a fraction of those at the Osaka drug company who were aware that one of its drugs could be lethal before the information was announced publicly.

By the company's own admission, at least 175 employees sold shares in Nippon Shoji Kaisha before the government announced in October 1993 that its skin drug, Sorivudine, could have fatal side effects for patients taking anti-cancer drugs. The deaths of 15 people drew widespread condemnation in Japan.

What's more, many, if not most, employees at Nippon Shoji may have learned of the problems ahead of the announcement, according to re- sue it," Ms. Sasaki-Smith said. ports that suggest a breakdown

controlling strategic information and monitoring stock

Thus while Friday's announcement by the Securities and Exchange Surveillance Commission that it had asked prosecutors in Osaka for indictments sent a warning, it also highlighted the weaknesses of the body set up to attack a declined in value; smaller invesproblem that analysts consider tors made up the difference.

widespread. "This will have only limited impact in preventing other incidents of insider trading," said Mineko Sasaki-Smith, senior economist at Morgan Stanley.

The commission is not financed or staffed well enough to pursue many cases." A failure of the commission to ask for any indictments would clearly have raised suspi-

cions, given the sharp decline in the company's share-price prior to the drug's withdrawal from the market last Oct. 12.

"This is such an obvious case they had no choice but to pur-The commission was set up

even if the stocks they bought

But after a fierce intra-government battle, the commission was created with only minimal powers. It was set up not as an independent body, for example, but as an arm of the Finance Ministry, which oversees the securities industry and had turned a blind eye to many of

the brokerage's actions. The commission was given only a small staff and budget and lacks the authority to directly seek indictments for alleged violations of Japan's secu-rities laws. Nippon Shoji marks only the third time the commission has sought indictments.

Commission officials said Friday that they were asking

laxity of regulations and an ers are employees of Eisai Co., a equally loose system for over- drug maker that had a contract seeing trading in the world's to market the drug, and Showa second-biggest bourse. Broker- Yakuhin, a drug wholesaler. ages, for example, had routinely The group included a physician. guaranteed their corporate cli- who reportedly made millions ents a profit on investments of yen through short-selling The drug went on the market on Sept. 3, but Nippon Shoji

only confirmed the first death 17 days later. Two days later, local news reports suggest, news of the fatality was spread at a meeting of executives, precipi-tating a sharp fall-off in the stock price.

Insider trading is only one regulatory problem making the Tokyo Stock Exchange vulnerable to increasing competition from other bourses in the region and the West, the chairman of the New York Stock Exchange warned Friday. 'We've found that what

makes for investor confidence is strict regulation in terms of See INSIDE, Page 12

said Friday. The L&F deal is expected to be completed by mid-November. The cash price was on the high side of analysts' estimates. Some ex-

## Telcom Group's Role to Grow

## UN Forum Reassures Private Industry and Seeks Advice

KYOTO, Japan -- The International Telecommunications Union, an umbrella group for government telecommunications officials, agreed Friday to allow private industry into its counsel and aimed to increase

its role in creating policy. At the end of a monthlong meeting, the UN organizations' 1,000 delegates from 151 member nations signed a declaration

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creating the World Telecommunication Policy Forum. As cross-border satellite TV broadcasts become increasingly common and large Western companies snap up telephone contracts around the world,

protect their interests. This alarmed the private sector and some Western nations, which feared the industry could become entangled in a web of

The century-old body in the past avoided policy issues and acted more as a clearing house for government-to-government

telecommunications issues.

Pekka Tarjanne, the secre-tary-general of the group, sought to reassure private in-

He said the forum would not have the power to impose sanc-tions and would aim to set policies which "reflect the opinions many smaller countries wanted of private companies as well as the group to act as regulator to

government regulators."
The group, which is not funded by the UN and depends on members' contributions, decided to admit private industry members as observers.

Private industry members will also be given other rights but in return will be expected to contribute money and technical

## Citing Loss, AST Research Plans a Move to Taiwan

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches

IRVINE, California - Battered by heavy losses, the personal computer maker AST Research Inc. said Friday that it would lay off nearly 700 workers and move its California manufacturing operations to Taiwan.

The company expects to lose \$39 million or \$40 million in the first quarter of its 1995 financial year. Losses could continue into the second quarter as well, the company said. AST stock plunged more than 10 percent in heavy trading in New York on Friday, ending at \$10.75, down \$1.50, on

volume of nearly 6 million shares.

The company said it planned to reduce its worldwide workforce of 6,900 by 10 percent.

The layoffs are part of AST's efforts to stay competitive. with the industry leaders, Compaq Computer Corp. and International Business Machines Corp., which have drastically reduced costs in recent months and lowered prices.

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#### RESOLUTIONS OF THE SHAREHOLDER'S MEETING

The ordinary general meeting of the shareholders held in Torino on September 30th, 1994 approved the financial statements for the fiscal year ended

The shareholders resolved to distribute a dividend of Lire 270 for each prefer-The dividend will be payable on October 17th, 1994. Payment, net of withholding tax, will be made upon presentation of coupon no. 16 at the main offices and branches of the paying agents listed hereunder.

The shareholders also resorved:

To authorise for the purposes of and in accordance with art, 2357 of the Italian civil code, the purchase, on one or more occasions and for a period of 18 months from the date of the present resolutions, of a maximum of further 2,000,000 ordinary and/or preferred shares of the company at a price ren-2.000.000 bromary analysis presented states of the company at a price ranging from a minimum per share of L. 1.000 (par value) to a maximum of L. 40.000, for this purpose using an appropriation of 80 billion Lire to the special fund "Reserve for purchases of own shares" considering therefore revoked, for the part not utilized, the resolution adopted on September 29, 1993; in addition, to authorise for the purposes of and in accordance with art. 257 ter of the Italian civil code, the use of the shares purchased by selling them or by using them as payment for the acquisition of investments.

To fix at ten the number of board members for the fiscal years 1994/95-1995/

To appoint as directors messis. Giovanni Agnelli, Umberto Agnelli, Giovanni Nasi, Giantuigi Gabetti, Gabriele Galaten di Genola, Susanna Agnelli, Carlo Camerana, Antoine Amedee Riboud, Franzo Grande Stevens, Pio Teodorani

To appoint as statutory auditors for the fiscal years 1994/95-1995/96-1996/ 97 messrs, Cesare Ferrero (Chairman), Federico Garnna and Lonello Jona Celesia (acting Auditors), Paolo Piccatti and Marco Weigmann (substitute

Further the Board of Directors resolved to appoint Mr. Giovanni Agnelii as Chairman, Mr. Giovanni Nasi and Mr. Glankrigi Gabetti as Vice Chairmans, Mr. Umberto Agnelli as Vice Chairman and Managing Director, Mr. Gabriele Gatateri di Genola as Managing Director and General Manager, Mr. Franzo Grande Stevens as Secretary of the Board.

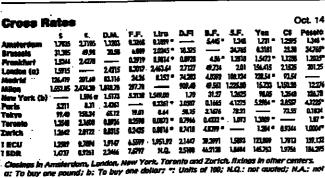
The extraordinary meeting further resolved to eliminate the art. 20 of the articles of association and to modify art. 21 in order to elect more Vice Chairmans.

and to vary the numeration of the subsequent articles. The paying agents are: In the Netherlands: Amsterdam Rotterdam Bank N.V. In the Federal Republic of Germany: Commerciank. In Switzerland: Banca Commerciale Italiana (Suisse), Crédit Suisse and So-

ciété de Benoue Suisse. In France: Lazard Frères et Cie. In Great Britain; Lazard Brothers & Co. and S.G. Warburg and Co. Ltd. In Italy: all the feading banks.

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## Dollar Languishes **Despite Bond Rally**

NEW YORK - The dollar Against other currencies, the tumbled to its lowest level since dollar fell to 5.2138 French and stocks rose. A spate of eco- 1.2730. The pound strength-nomic reports failed to con- ened to \$1.5960 from \$1.5895.

#### Foreign Exchange

Thursday in U.S. stock and bonds and stocks rebound, bond markets had failed to help traders said. the dollar.

in stocks and bonds, and the only slightly in September. dollar still fell," Paul Farrell of Currency traders focused invous about that."

Better prospects for Chancellor Helmut Kohl's coalition the dollar," David Coleman of government in German elec-

tions Sunday helped the mark. In late trading, the dollar fell to 1.5173 DM from 1.5284 on Thursday. It has fallen more than two pfennig this week. a growing economy, low infla-Against the yen, the dollar tion and a dollar this weak."

mid-July against the Deutsche francs from 5.2405, and to mark Friday even though bonds 1.2625 Swiss francs from vince currency traders that in-flation would not accelerate. The dollar has tracked the U.S. Treasury market for much Traders said the dollar was of this year as traders watched poised to fall because rallies bonds for clues about demand for U.S. assets. Now that linkage may be breaking, leaving the dollar to languish while

dropped to 98.05 from 99.395.

Bond prices rose for a second "Yesterday, we had good day after the Labor Departnews on inflation and big rallies ment said consumer prices rose

Chase Manhattan Bank said. stead on a report showing U.S. People in the market are ner- retail sales rose more than economists expected in September. "Retail sales started the rot in

> Commerce said. "I'm perplexed," Laurence Hayward of NationsBank said. "It makes no sense that we have

## **DATA:** Inflation Under Control

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0.2 percentage point, after hitting a five-year high ir. August. For the year so far, inflation at the consumer level is at an annual rate of just 2.8 percent, little changed from last year's

in September, compared with

#### **U.S. Stocks**

the I.4 percent rise in August. The improvement reflected lower world crude oil prices. Food prices rose 0.3 percent last month, a slight drop from a 0.4 percent rise in August, primarily reflecting stabilization in coffee prices, which were soaring

in the previous two months. Excluding food and energy categories, the so-called core rate rose 0.2 percent after a 0.3 percent climb in August.

While many analysts said they thought the Federal Reserve would remain on the sidelines rather than risk being accused of trying to influence November's election results, they said that another rate increase was likely to come Nov. 15, at the next meeting of the central bank's policy-setting Federal Open

Market Committee. In the markets, the bench-

mark 30-year Treasury bond rose 8/32 point to 96 7/32, pushing the yield to 7.83 percent from 7.85 percent on Thursday.

erage closed 20.52 points higher, at 3,910.47, supported by the

The gains were led by Aluminum Co. of America, which closed up 3%, at 87, reflecting higher aluminum prices. Union Carbide was 1 higher, at 33%,

Shares rose to 3714 in Pohang Iron & Steel, the South Koreai iron and steel company that made an initial public offering Friday of 8.5 million American depository receipts.

most active NYSE issue, rose 11/2, to 17/3, after the state of New York proposed buying the utility.

ware company was raised to buy from hold by Hancock In-

stitutional Equity Services. (ÅP, Bloomberg)

The Dow Jones industrial avbullish bond market. But de-Energy prices fell 0.7 percent clining issues had a slight lead on advancers on the New York Stock Exchange, where volume on the Big Board came to 251.7 million shares.

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HOUSTON (Reuters) - Western Co. of North America said Friday the Icahn Group had disclosed in a Securities and Exchange Commission filing that it held a 6.6 percent stake in the oilfield service company and may seek board representation.

Western, the target of an \$18.50 a share, or \$450 million, takeover offer from BJ Services Co., had no immediate comment on the filing by Carl Icahn's investment group, a spokesman said.

Newell Buys Corning Unit in Europe

FREEPORT, Illinois (AP) - Newell Co., maker of Levelor blinds, Goody hair products and Fiber-Castell pens, is buying

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Corning Inc.'s European-based cookware business, the two companies said Friday. They did not disclose terms.

The deal also includes Corning's manufacturing plants in England, France and Germany and the right to use the Corning trademarks business. trademarks Pyrex, Pyrofiam and Visions in Europe, the Middle

East and Africa, a statement said. Newell will also distribute in those regions the cookware and dinnerware brands that Corning manufactures in the United States, including Revere Ware and Corelle. Corning had 1993 colors of \$4 hills. sales of \$4 billion. Newell's 1993 sales totaled \$1.6 billion.

#### Conversion Says Conflict Is Halted

PASADENA, California (Bloomberg) - Conversion Industries Inc. said it had taken steps to end a perceived conflict of interest by two directors that had threatened the company's listing on the American Stock Exchange.

William J. Gordica, chief executive of Beta Well, resigned Friday from the board of Conversion and D. Grant Macdonald, a Conversion director, resigned from the board of Beta Well. A Conversion spokesman said the company had taken "some pretty strong action" to address the exchange's concerns.

The exchange had halted trading in Conversion and in Beta Well this week and said it may delist shares of the companies because of disclosure failures. Conversion, which invests in small businesses and takes them public by selling stock to Conversion shareholders, said it owned 8.6 percent of Beta Well, an oil-field services company, as of June 30.

#### Wal-Mart Sets New Mexican Venture

BENTONVILLE, Arkansas (Reuters) - Wal-Mart Stores Inc. the largest American retailer, and its Mexican joint venture partner Cifra SA de CV, have agreed to set up a chain of Dillard Department Stores in Mexico, the companies said Friday.

The Wal-Mart/Cifra venture will be a 50 percent partner, with Dillard owning the remaining 50 percent. Dillard will operate its department stores. The first store is expected to open in late 1995 in Monterrey.

#### For the Record

Sara Lee Corp. said it had agreed to acquire the stock of L. M. Sandler & Sons, plus the company's interest in Consolidated Foodservice, a joint venture between L. M. Sandler and Sara Lee's PYA/Monarch Inc. unit. Terms were not disclosed. (Bloomberg) John Mack Carter, 66, is resigning as editor in chief of Good Housekeeping magazine after 19 years to become president of Hearst Magazines Enterprises, a division for the development of

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manipulation and investor protection but as little regulation as

the late 1980s. Nomura Securities said it had six months.

lopped 17.66 billion yen (\$177 million) off the value of its portfolio of marketable securities for the six months ended Sept. 30, Bloomberg Business News reported.

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## Texas Instruments Posts Record Results for Quarter

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Industrials

NEW YORK — Texas Instruments Inc. posted record third-quarter results Friday, driven by its semiconductor business, where orders surged, particularly in digital signal processing products

and microprocessors. The company said it earned \$186 million in the three months, a 27 percent increase from \$146 million a year earlier. Earnings per share increased to \$1.94 from \$1.54.

cent from \$2.16 billion.

Texas Instruments stock was up \$1.25,

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at \$68.875 a share, Friday in New York. The 1993 third-quarter result included a one-time gain of \$37 million from patent licensing deals and a one-time tax gain of \$17 million.

Semiconductor orders were up from a year earlier and near the record levels of this year's second quarter, and the prod-

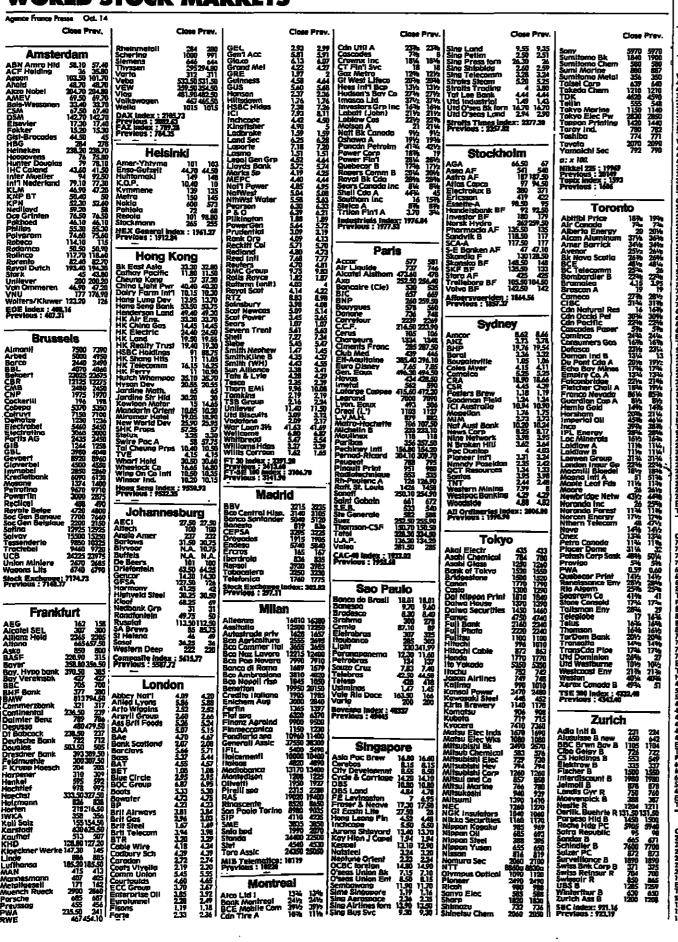
Revenue was \$2.57 billion, up 19 per- uct mix continues to be favorable, the company said.

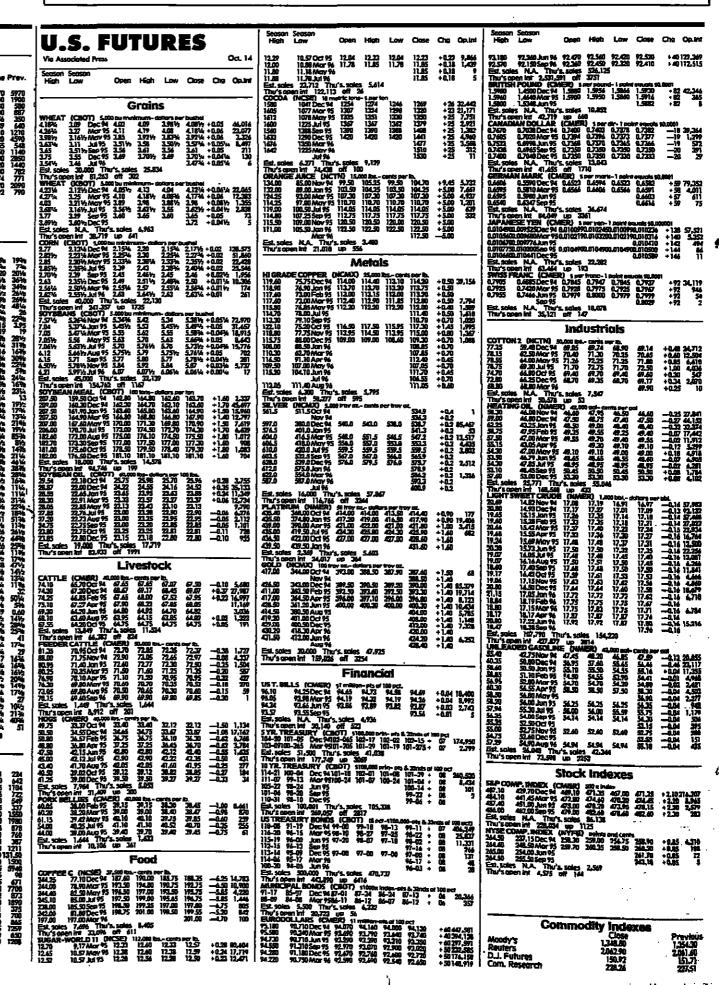
Another segment of TI's business, defense electronics revenue, was flat and was expected to decline in the fourth quarter.

The company also said it would start an early tetirement program in Japan for some employees next quarter. A charge for the severance will be reported for the fourth quarter.

(Bloomberg, AP)

#### ORLD STOCK MARKETS





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rities," said Werner Seifert,

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Borse AG, the holding compa-

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The exchange's action was di-

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long accused of siphoning off liquidity in blue-chip stocks.

bank probably would be the

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Five to seven other banks,

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Ibis is a screen-based trading

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So far, only subsidiaries of German banks abroad have

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The board of governers also authorized "sizable financial re-

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#### and the transport of the least And Schneider Start Venture

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches FRANKFURT - AEG Daimler Benz Industrie AG and France's Group Schneider SA launched a joint venture Friday to combine their automation technology businesses.

The new company, AEG Schneider Automation International SAS, is expected to have total sales of \$550 million and employ 2,500 people, AEG and Schneider will each hold 50

Daniel Melin, who will chair the venture's supervisory board, said the company would have a 14 percent share of the global market

Plans for the joint venture won regulatory approval from U.S. and Euro-

The venture will concentrate on making programmable logic controllers. which control the flow of products along an assembly

(Bloomberg, AFX)

# MMM Chief: No Remorse

MOSCOW --- With no explanations and no apologies, the head of Russia's troubled get-rich-quick MMM fund celebrated his release from jail by pledging Friday to carry on his activities from the safety of Parliament.

Sergei Mavrodi, who was freed Thursday two months after a spectacular commando arrest on tax-evasion charges, said he would run for the lower house and that MMM, whose share price collapsed days before his deten-tion, would soon be working as profitably as ever.

"You would only return money to shareholders if you were winding up the company," he said. "Our company is working normally." He added, "There is no question of closing it down or giving anyone their money back."

Mr. Mavrodi was freed after registering as a parliamen-tary candidate for an Oct. 30 election. Under poll guidelines approved by the president, a parliamentary candidate cannot be held without the Supreme Court's approv-

He will fight for a seat in the lower chamber from Moscow's Mytishchi constituency that became vacant after the holder of the seat, Andrei Aizderdzis, was shot to death

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LONDON - Aluminum

prices surged to a four-year

high Friday amid burgeoning

Aluminum prices for three-

month delivery traded as high

as \$1,709 a ton on the London

Metal Exchange before settling

at \$1,705, 51 percent higher

than they were in January.

industrial demand and scarcity

of available supplies.

share sales, followed by the drama of his arrest, made him a hero in Russia. The Russian government is widely blamed for causing the collapse in MMM shares and accused of

victimizing Mr. Mavredi. Mr. Mavrodi said he would probably win the seat and that his presence in Parliament would be "useful for everyone." It will also give him munity from arrest.

Millions of Russians sank their savings into MMM, whose share price collapsed

'For ordinary shareholders, that is completely irrelevant.'

Sergei Mavrodi, on where his company puts its money.

in July after a run caused by official warnings about the financial health of the invest-

ment company. The money-spinning scheme promised ever-rising share prices and annual divi-

dends of 3,000 percent. Finance Ministry officials have likened MMM to a pyramid scheme in which money from the sale of new shares is used to pay back earlier in- release to work out details.

Tight Supplies Lift Aluminum Prices

any wrongdoing.

Mr. Mavrodi said the company was as reliable as could be expected, given that the government had confiscated all its documents, and would soon be back at work. For now, he conceded, no deposits were being taken, and no cash was being paid out.

As usual, he refused to say exactly what MMM had in-"I don't see why I should

explain what specific area we are in, because for ordinary shareholders that is completely irrelevant. For them, the most important thing is the results.'

Mr. Mavrodi looked none the worse after two months of confinement. He fired off angry condemnations of government dishonesty.

Reformist government officials estimate Mr. Mavrodi, 39, has made about \$1 billion this year from MMM.

Wearing an olive-green sports shirt, he was surrounded Friday by fat men with blank faces and navy suits, distinguishable from the Soviet officials of yesteryear only by their expensively pat-

terned silk ties. Mr. Mavrodi was coy about precisely what his future political program would be. He said it would soon be made public but that there had been no time since his

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William Adams, analyst with

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This year, aluminum produc-

## **Bank Chief** Resigns In Greece

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches ATHENS - The governor of Greece's central bank, Yannis Boutos, resigned Friday after disagreeing with the Socialist government over who would head a troubled bank.

Prime Minister Andreas Papandreou accepted Mr. Boutos's resignation, a spokesman said in a statement. The deputy governor, Lucas Papadimas, was appointed to replace him.

News reports said Mr. Boutos, who was appointed after the Socialist government was elected in October, resigned after the government backed a commissioner whom he wanted to replace as head of the Bank

Mr. Boutos issued a statement saying he had been "obliged to inform the government on certain important issues." He added that "the central bank has to be able to function autonomously."

Greek stocks ended lower in light across-the-board trading, with analysts attributing the fall to Mr. Boutos's resignation.

The Athens general share in-dex finished at 848.36, down 6.72 points.

The Bank of Crete has been under central bank control since a 1988 embezzlement scandal.

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Beta Funds International, a British investment company, said it would launch a \$50 million investment fund for Cuba. The fund is planned by Havana Asset Management Ltd., a subsidiary of Beta that is the first investment company to focus exclusively on Cuba. • Fizt SpA will not buy a stake in Renault when the French company is privatized. Cesare Romiti, the company's managing director, told the French daily Le Figaro.

Oce-Van Der Grinten NV, a Dutch office-products supplier, said improved margins helped its third-quarter sales rise 40 percent to 19.5 million guilders (\$11 million), while sales rose 5 percent, to 656.2 million guilders.

• Spanish consumer prices rose 0.3 percent in September from August and 4.5 percent from a year earlier.

premiums for aluminum are so . Texas Homecare, a unit of Ladbroke Group PLC, said it would strong now, producers are sellreorganize its business, cutting 900 jobs.

. Continental AG said it would raise its tire prices by an average of 3 percent Nov. 15 because of an increase in materials prices.

## France's SFR Sees '94 Loss

PARIS - Société Française de Radiotéléphone SA, a unit of Compagnie Générale des Eaux, expects "a significant loss" in 1994 but will break even in 1996, the company's chairman, Philippe Glotin, said Friday.

He said 1994 revenue would be 1.5 billion francs (\$284 million). minum producers, who meet But the company is expecting to make a return on investment in next in November, would have its mobile-phone network in 1998, he said. SFR is expecting a to decide whether production capital injection of 3 billion francs from a cooperation deal cuts agreed to this year should announced Tuesday by its parent with Vodafone Group PLC and continue. (Bloomberg, Reuters) Southwestern Bell Corp.

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## GAMES: Nobel Prize Gives Credit to Game Theory

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said. According to Mr. Harsanyi's work, nothing need be known for certain as long as it is: predictable in terms of chance. Thus when Compaq and Apple are figuring pricing strategi they need only assign probabilities to the other's potential re-Another limitation to Mr. Nash's approach was that it did not offer insight into what would happen if more than one inding to the game were possi-- even if the players acted consistently and in their own

est interests. It does not stretch the imag nation, for example, to think of World War I as only one of many plausible consequences to the diplomatic and military maneavering in August 1914.

The German economist

complex, but some of the underlying ideas are intuitive. For example, an outcome depenreasonable threat seriously. such as "buy my rug for \$200 or I will kill your first-born child," may be discarded.

Thomas Schelling, an econo mist now at the University of Maryland who is at the top of his field in applied game theory, decades ago introduced ideas such as the strategic value of brinkmanship. Indeed, some think he ranks with Mr. Nash as a founder of the field.

All this may seem as abstract Reinhard Selten enriched the and impractical as the theory of Nash model in 1965 by offering perfect competition - and for theories for discriminating be many years it was dismissed. tween game outcomes that are Nonetheless, by the 1970s many reasonable and unreasonable. economists were turning to The mathematics is quite game theory for inspiration, if only because they lacked answers to questions that turned on strategic behavior.

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Strong demand in the booming producer selling, but that ing U.S. market and recovering hasn't slowed the price rise."

European and Japanese econo"Aluminum has taken on a mies coupled with an interna- life of its own and uncoupled tional accord restraining output itself from gyrations in the copsould continue to firmly underpin prices, dealers said.

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the London Metal Exchange posted their biggest two-day drop since 1984, falling 55,150 metric tons, to 2,190,000 tons.

That brings this week's total drawdown in aluminum to level since Sept. 27, 1993. When 77,300 tons, as prices soared to prices were last this high, stocklevels last seen in November 1990.

"Aluminum has taken over the market," a trader at Leh- Rudolf Wolff & Co., said: man Brothers said. "We are see- "There haven't been falls like

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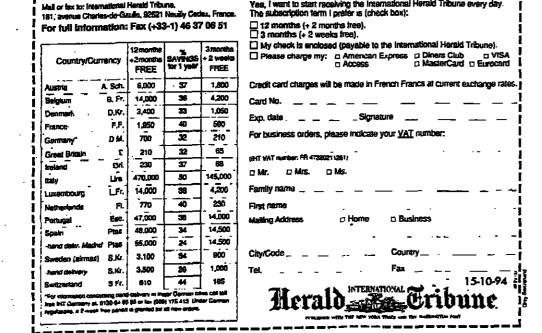
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## China Sets Telecom Opening

BELJING - China outlined a role for foreign telecommunications companies in its huge network expansion Friday but reiterated its ban on foreigners taking equity stakes in or managing phone services.

Foreign companies can help build networks, advise on their operations and reap returns on their investments, said Wang hanrong, a spokeswoman for the Ministry of Posts and Tele-

Under the arrangement, Hong Kong Telecommunications Ltd. and BellSouth Corp. agreed this week to work with Chinese operators in China's felecommunications market.

The China Daily said Friday that the country needed \$7 bil-lion in foreign capital to triple ts network to 140 million telephone lines.

"Foreign investors can help build networks and recoup their investment with a portion of profits," Ms. Wang said. "They can't hold an equity stake and receive dividends, though, because that would mean they would have a part in opera-

Analysts have been expecting China to open its telecommunications network since June, when the government broke up the ministry's decades-old monopoly and ordered it to reorganize its service operations into a commercial arm.

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## Compaq's Pricing Shot

TOKYO - Compaq Computer Corp.'s latest round of price cuts of personal computers in Japan may be aimed more at its U.S. competitors than local ones, analysts said.

Compaq reduced prices on its desktop and notebook personal computers by between 14 percent and 26 percent last week and announced a drive to get a bigger share of Ja-pan's almost 700 billion yen (\$7 billion) personal computer market.

The move was quickly matched by International Business Machines Corp., whose local subsidiary, IBM Japan Corp., slashed personal computer prices 25 percent days later. Dell Computer Co. said it was likely to follow suit soon.

But in contrast to two years ago, when Compaq rocked Ja-pan's computer world with a series of machines sold for around one-third as much as those made locally, reaction to

Compag's price cuts were on older models and followed similar cuts in the United States rather than being specifically targeted at Japan. said Takahiko Umeyama, an analyst at the technology

market research company IDC Japan Ltd. Compaq seeks a 10 percent

Compaq wants a 10 percent share of the Japanese market by 1998.

share of the Japanese market by 1998, compared with its current 4 percent, said Mayumi Kunizane, a spokeswoman for Compaq KK, a Japanese subsidiary of the Texas-based manufacturer.

The price cuts will help Compaq increase its market share and may even allow it

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the latest cuts has been muted. to take some from NEC, she said. American manufacturers had 24.2 percent of the Japanese market in 1993, compared with 15.1 percent in 1992, according to the market research company Dataquest Inc.

Compaq's 1992 price reductions forced price cuts by both NEC Corp., Japan's largest personal computer maker, and other foreign vendors in Japan.

The latest move is unlikely to have much effect on NEC Corp., which dominates the Japanese market with a 52 percent share, Mr. Umeyama

But an NEC spokesman said the company was watch-ing closely what happened to foreign manufacturers. Pricecutting will affect them be-fore it affects NEC, the spokesman said. Only some of the foreign makers will sur-vive the price wars, and those will be the ones NEC has to

## **Beijing May Bar Asian Trade Pact**

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches CANBERRA - Opposition by China is believed to be the only obstacle to an agreement to dismantle most trade barriers in the Asia-Pacific region, dip-

lomais said Friday. The Chinese Foreign Ministry said in Beijing that it wanted more concrete assurances about its trade and economic status as part of the accord, which would create a free-trade zone in the region before 2020. The Asia-Pacific Economic Cooperation forum is to decide on the proposal at its summit meeting

Nov. 14 in Indonesia. "As a long-term goal, China approves of trade liberalization in the Asia-Pacific region," a Foreign Ministry spokesman

"But APEC members must come to a common understanding of the meaning and implications of trade liberalization and of the principles of promoting

Meanwhile, Shanghai Haixing Shipping said it would proceed with a Hong Kong

stock listing it postponed three months ago. The state-owned cargo handler plans to sell 1.08 billion shares, or what will amount to 43.5 percent of its share capital, at between 1.42 Hong Kong dollars (18

#### trade liberalization at the same time as or before deciding on the goal," the statement added.

In particular, Beijing says countries in the accord must give one another most-favorednation trading status on an unconditional and long-term basis. The United States, which is also among the 17 nations involved in the group, tried in recent years to make that trade status dependent on progress in China's respect for human rights. This year, President Bill Clinton said he was dropping

that condition. Australian officials said Pres ident Suharto of Indonesia had gained the support of the Asso-ciation of South East Asian Nations. With the help of Prime Minister Paul Keating of Australia, Mr. Suharto also apparently convinced Japan of the deal's merits, a senior Australian official said.

A Japanese government offi-cial confirmed Friday that "in principle" Tokyo would support in agreement.

China also wants differing levels of economic development to be respected, ensuring that poorer countries do not lose out tariff barriers come down,

APEC comprises Australia Brunei, Canada, China, Hong Kong, Indonesia, Japan, Malaysia, Mexico, New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, the Philippines, Singapore, South Korea, Taiwan, Thailand and the Unit-

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Standard Chartered Bank PLC said it signed an agreement to provide a five-year technical assistance program to the state-owned Bank Pembangunan Indonesia (Bapindo).

 Mizwa International Corp., the Japanese importer-distributor for Saab Automobile AB, plans to increase Japanese sales of Saab cars to 2,300 in 1995, a Mizwa managing director said.

• Cable & Wireless PLC, a British telecommunications company. said it was in talks to reduce its 51 percent stake in Cia. Telecomunicações de Macau to Cia. Portuguese Radio Marconi, which currently holds 28 percent.

• Singapore's Urban Redevelopment Authority said it had turned down all bids for a 19-hectare (47-acre) plot slated for development as a theme park.

• Electrolux AB of Sweden said it would open five factories in the Asia/Pacific region in the next three years and expects to double revenue in the region within five years.

 STAR-TV, an Asian satellite television broadcaster, estimated it was now being received in more than 53 million homes across Asia and the Middle East, up 28 percent from the beginning of the year.

## Venture Plans Can Factory in Manila

MUNCIE, Indiana - Ball Corp. said Friday it had signed a joint-venture agreement to help build and operate the first twopiece aluminum-beverage-can plant in the Philippines.

Ball's partners are San Miguel Corp. of the Philippines and Yamamura Glass Co. of Japan. They will invest a total of \$57.6 million to build a plant in Manila.

The company will be 60 percent owned by San Miguel, a holding company with interests in the food, beverage and packag-ing industries; 34 percent owned by Yamamura, a maker of glass bottles, and 6 percent owned by Ball, which makes glass and metal

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## China Arms Maker to List Fund in Singapore

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HONG KONG -- The investment arm of China North Industries Group said Friday its \$185 million fund, which will be listed on the Singapore Stock Exchange, was 2.5 times oversubscribed at \$1.04 a

China North Industries, also known as Norinco, is a leading arms supplier to China's army and has dozens of subsidiar-

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Normco plans to use at least \$160 million of the fund to invest in 18 joint ventures established by Norinco subsidiaries. The 18 companies focus on the automotive, construction and optical industries. The fund will be listed on the Singapore

Stock Exchange on Tuesday, with the primary listing in Ireland.

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U.S. cents) and 1.56 dollars each. (Bloomberg, Reuters)

## Daiei Net Rises Less Than Expected

TOKYO — Daiei Inc., a Japanese supermarket chain, said Friday its first-half profit rose less than it had forecast because of slow consumer spending and costs incurred when the company absorbed three of its affiliates. Daiei's current profit, which is before taxes and includes gains

and losses from nonoperating activities, rose 7 percent to 11.24 billion yen (\$113 million). Daiei had forecast that profit would be 12.5 billion yen. Sales rose 25 percent to 1.26 trillion yen, largely because of additional revenue from the affiliates.

Jim Nakauchi, vice president of Daiei, said Japan's economy 'limped along without entering a full recovery" in the first half. The company lowered its profit forecast for the full year to 23 billion yen from 26 billion yen. Daiei's stock fell 10 yen to 1,590.

Separately, Mitsukoshi Ltd., one of Japan's oldest department stores, said it returned to profitability in the first half. Mitsukoshi reported current profit of 647 million yen, after a loss of 1.76 billion yen a year earlier. Sales fell 4.7 percent, to 380 billion yen. containers for the food and beverage industries.

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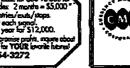
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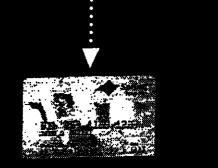
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## An Abyss That Is Not **Bottomless**

DUCATIONAL planning has something of the cathedral about it. The sheer immensity of the cost, the vast, apparently endless nature of the supplementary bills, and the labyrinthine complexity of the fee (and fiscal) structures inspire a semi-religious awe. Or, at the very least, the urge to find the nearest bar.

But there are positive aspects to it all—real, substantial benefits that should lift the most somber of spirits, and that are definitely more palpable than the kind of financial planning that gets done over a

The simple truth is that the figures mount up over the long term in an impressive — almost a subversive — way. Here, the Micawber principle is everything. If you have a cent more than you spend every week, the result is happiness. Especially if those cents end up being invested in an equity-based mutual fund, month-

in, month-out, and are then forgotten. If, on the other hand, you have a cent less than you spend every week, the result is misery — the pennies quickly accumulate and can only add to the personal debt that has been a phenomenon of the late 1980s.

It is an unfortunate truth that the cost of education, particularly that which styles itself "international education," has risen drastically over the last 20 years. This is partly attributable to a withering away of the the state's role in education funding in many developed countries. It is also due to some clever marketing and aggressive pricing by those who supply the services. The good news, however, is that regular equity fund investment would in most cases have outstripped the rising cost

So the advice is simple. Look into the

## The Diversely Pursued (and Paid for) Global Education

By Aline Sullivan

INANCING an education is a burden shouldered by a surprisingly small minority of parents and students worldwide.

Indeed, recent research by the Paris-based Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development, or OECD, starkly reveals the marginal importance of private education in most developed countries.

A meager 2.8 percent of British nationals between the ages of five and 29 attend purely private schools — defined by the OECD as those that receive less than 10 percent of their funding from public sources — but this ranks as one of the highest levels of private education in Europe. In France, the proportion is a mere 0.9 percent. In the Netherlands, Belgium and Denmark, private school pupils are, statistically speaking, non-existent.

Worldwide, Japan is the only OECD country in which more than 10 percent of the five-to-29 age group is enrolled in full-time private education. The OECD identified 11.7 percent of Japanese students as attending a purely private school. In the United States that figure is 6.7 percent and in Canada only 2.2 percent. Generally speaking, the OECD found that the popularity of private schooling varies widely in

developed countries.

Of the 27 countries reviewed by the OECD in a recent report, only Portugal and Turkey had fewer than 90 percent of its 14-year-olds enrolled in secondary edu-cation. But significant discrepancies become apparent after age 15, when enrollment declines rapidly in some countries. The most startling drop occurs in Britain, where only 62.4 percent of 16-year-olds are still in school.

By age 18, enrollment is secondary edu-cation has dropped to 50 percent in most countries. The exceptions are the Nordic countries. France and the Netherlands, where this shift occurs at 19 years of age, and Germany, where more than 20 percent of 20-year-olds are still enrolled in secondary education.

Similarities in English-speaking countries, and their differences compared with other countries, are conspicuous. For example, in all OECD English-speaking countries, the vast majority of students in secondary education are enrolled in general programs. In most other countries, the **Global Education** School enrollment per 100 persons (ages 5-29)

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els. In more than half the European countries studied, the figure was under 10 percent. In Hungary, Sweden and Switzerland, less than 5 percent of that age group majority are enrolled in vocational and apprenticeship programs.

Beyond secondary education, at least 25 percent of the relevant age group goes on to higher education in OECD countries. In Australia, Finland, Japan and the United States, that figure is more than 50 percent. Students entering bachelor's degree programs outnumber those entering non-university higher education - such as technical schools, vocational schools and all twoyear associate's degree programs — in all OECD countries except Hungary, Japan, the Netherlands and Sweden.

The educational strides made by women over the past two decades in most countries is apparent in the almost equal numbers entering tertiary education. Only in Japan and Turkey do the opportunities for men and women appear to be marked-ly different. In Japan, nearly twice as many women as men enter non-university programs, but fewer than half attend a university. In Turkey, men outnumber women by substantial margins in both categories.

The enthusiasm for a university degree in the United States, where 20 percent of people aged 18 to 21 years are enrolled in university programs, is not shared by students in most other countries. Only Canada and Spain have similar enrollment lev-

was enrolled at a university.

Very few students in any of the OECD

countries, moreover, register in part-time

university programs. Part-time participa-tion is highest in the English-speaking countries, but even in these, the rate is less

Differences in participation at all levels

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tries may reflect greater opportunities for this type of education in those countries. The prodigious value attached to education in every developed country is starkly illustrated by the relationship of educa-tional attainment to employment. In Canada, for example, where 9.1 per-

Percent of students who go on

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cent of the population was unemployed in 1991, the OECD found that 14.1 percent of people who stopped school at a lowersecondary or earlier level were out of work. Unemployment dropped to 9.5 percent for those with an upper-secondary education, to 7.8 percent for those with a non-universi-

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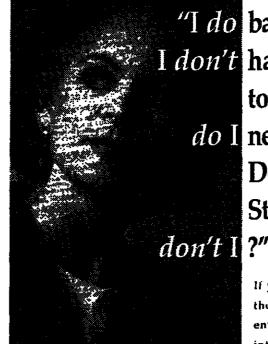
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ty tertiary education, and to 5.1 percent for those with a university degree.

In France, Portugal, Switzerland and the Netherlands, the OECD found that more people between the ages of 25 and 64 with a university education were out of work than those with a non-university tertiary education. But these differences were slim. In most cases, each level of education engendered markedly higher chances of employment.

Higher education also means more money, and the relationship between education and earnings is most striking in the United States. For example, an American man between 25 and 64 years old with only a grammar-school education makes just 69 percent of the average salary earned by a man with a high-school diploma. A man with a university education, in contrast, earned 164 percent of the highschool graduate's income.

This gap, which is similar for women of the same educational levels, is almost twice that found in most European countries. In all developed countries, however, higher levels of education corresponded to substantial gains in earnings.



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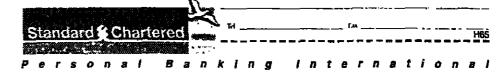


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#### Floming to Launch Natural-Resource Investment Trust

Asia may have its special situations, but commodities and natural resources are the next hot investment area, according to U.K. mutual-fund manager Fleming Investment Trust Management Limited (FITM). FITM plans to launch a natural resources investment trust (a closed-end mutual fund) that will invest in "a diversified and international portfolio of shares in companies engaged in the extraction, cultivation and processing of natural re-

"The world-wide economy has now re-covered from recession," said Patrick Gif-ford, chairman of FITM. "As a result. demand for natural resources is increasing particularly in developing economies. se factors point to a period of strength for the prices of both energy and raw materials, and therefore for the share prices of natural-resource based compa-

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## On British Small Companies

Then again, maybe Asian stocks and the commodities world are not so attractive after all. Perhaps the smart money should be committed to U.K. small companies. That is the view of U.K. fund management group Singer & Friedlander Investment Funds, which has just launched a new fund investing in this

The fund will be advised by Terry Smith, a well-known U.K. analyst and anthor of an iconoclastic book that exposed some corporate accounting practices as the gross pieces of fiction that they

Singer & Friedlander managing director Tony Fraher argues that, despite the hill in the U.K. small-companies sector this summer, the sector is set to regain its upward momentum. He adds that in periods of economic recovery and expansion, such as that currently being experienced by Britain, the small-company sector has sharply outperformed the rest of the mar-

The fund will be open-ended with an initial charge of 4.5 percent. The minimum investment is £1,000 (\$1,600), and the price of shares will be fixed during the offer period (October 31 to November 4). Expected gross yield in the first year is 2

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increased redemptions by investors are reflected in a fall in the volume of funds under management in U.S. Unit Investment Trusts, vehicles that purchase fixed portfolios of selected bonds or stocks. Statistics from the Investment Company Institute, the Washington, D.C.- based trade body of the U.S. mutual fund industry, show that funds totaled \$6.15 billion under management through the end of September, compared to \$6.34 billion a

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## In the U.S., Soaring Tuition Necessitates New Strategies

By Judith Rehak

OR PARENTS in the United States who have barely recovered from signing the checks to pay tuition and room and board fees for their college-bound offspring, a new report has only confirmed what they already knew.

An annual survey just released by the College Board, a New York guidance and data group, reports that unition and fees for four-year colleges in the U.S. are up 6 percent for the 1994-95 school year, double the inflation rate of 2.9 percent. An undergraduate at a private four-year college is paying an average \$11,709 for tuition, plus another \$4,976 for room and board.

At the most sought-after institutions, the news is even more disheartening. The Consortium On Financing Higher Education, a research organization funded by top U.S. colleges, says the median tuition fee for its 31 members this year is \$19,110. When room, board and fees are included, the average final bill is a scary \$26,874.

Not surprisingly, even parents who have salted away a nest egg for their child's college education may find that they need to come up with a lot more cash to bridge the gap. And that reality is creating some

"A generation ago, the majority of parents financed their kids for 100 percent of their college education," said Lewis Alt-fest, a financial planner in New York. These days, it's more often a partnership

- some by the parents, and some as-sumed by the children." Indeed, the Federal government will lend nearly \$18 billion to some 4 million American college students this year. By far, the most popular vehicle is the Stafford loan, where the student does not have to start repaying the principal until after graduation. Its variable rate, which is reset each July, is the lowest in the array of available loans, currently standing at 7.43 percent, up from 6.22 percent in the 1993-94 school term. A student can borrow up to \$5,500 a year.

If a student loan plus savings aren't sufficient, financial advisers say the next step might be for the parents to share the load through another government vehicle called PLUS (Parents Loans to Undergraduate Students), which has no limitations on how much a family earns for eligibility, and can cover up to the full cost of tuition, room and board each year.

Rates on these loans, currently 8,38 percent, are also reset each July. Informa-

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> An array of private lenders, such as Nellie Mae Inc. in Braintree, Massachusetts, and the Education Resources Institute, in Boston, have also entered the student loan business, although they often require parents to co-sign loans to students and run credit checks on both. These groups usually charge interest rates that are one to three percentage points higher than Stafford loans. Nellie Mae, is currently offering 9.75 percent.

> But perhaps the most significant trend in financing a college education is the growing use of the "financial aid package" put together by the schools themselves, and now needed by nearly half the students at private colleges. At COFHE schools, for example, this year's typical package consists of a grant ranging around \$13,000, a loan of about \$4,000, and a campus job that yields another \$1,800. That leaves the family to contribute \$8,074 to pay off the grand total of

The most obvious criterion for qualifying for a financial-aid package is a family's annual income. "We encourage anyone with a family income up to \$100,000

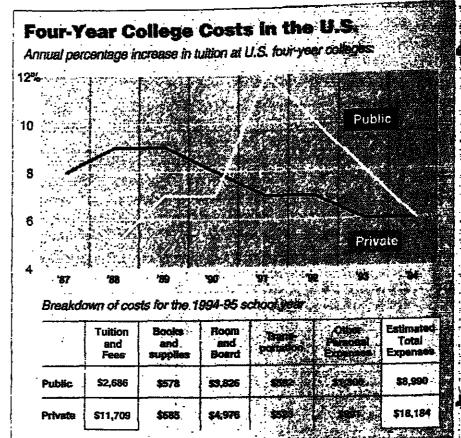
Real Cost of Education for Expatriates' Children

Bracken, a spokesman for COFHE. But for schools where tuition costs are lower, income eligibility ceilings are likely to be lower as well, and the makeup of the packages will vary. Mr. Bracken pointed out that other considerations also carry weight, such as having two children in college at the same time, heavy medical bills, or older parents who need protection of retirement money.

While colleges may not be happy about it, the widespread use of financial aid packages has produced another trend. Increasingly, say some analysts, students who have been accepted at more than one school play colleges off against each other in the hope of obtaining the best possible financial-aid package. In effect, this results in discounted tuitions.

"The broad issue is that colleges have gone from being sanctified to having to market themselves and be realistic about supply and demand," said Mr. Altfest. He compared filling each place in a class to the airline business, where the objective is to have each seat filled but where passengers will have paid widely varying fares.

Adds Mr. Bracken: "The critical thing is not to get obsessed with saving it all. Set a goal and stick to it. If you can save the first year, that's already something."



Source: College Entrance Examination Board

## Colleges Struggle To Defray Expenses With **Endowment Income**

By Amy Barrett

ARTMOUTH College is one school getting by in stingy times without firing teachers, turning off the heat in the gym or reaching into its en-

That's because Dartmouth earned a return of 7.8 percent on its \$800 million endowment in the year ended June 30. This compared with losses of about 1 percent each for the Standard & Poor's 500 Index of stocks and the Salomon Brothers Broad Investment bond index.

Lyn Hutton, vice president of Dartmouth, said she owes the fund's recent investment success to non-traditional — read riskier — investments in private equity, venture capital and international securities markets. which make up about 24 percent of its portfolio.

"You're not going to get 10 percent compounded annually with traditional stocks and bonds," said Miss Hutton. "You have to invest in what has

unless they want to cut their spending. The great bull markets that produced average annual returns of 12 percent for cade aren't expected to contin-

Moreover, what exacerbates schools' problems is that fewer students can afford to pay full tuition. The average U.S. private college tuition was \$15,128 in the 1992-1993 school year — the latest statistics available — 7 percent annually, more than twice the rate of inflation.

On average, U.S. colleges spent 4.3 percent of their endowments in fiscal year 1993, according to the 1993 National Association of College and

University Business Officers endowment study prepared by Cambridge Associates, and costs rose another 4.5 percent to 5 percent. That means schools need returns of about 9 percent just to keep services constant and endowments from eroding.

This past summer, Benning-ton College, even though it charges students \$25,800 a year, had to cut almost one-third of its faculty, including all its foreign language, instrumental music and art history profes-

Wesleyan University was forced to eliminate six teaching jobs and reduce its spending on things like career planning, school psychologists and medical services by 20 percent in the past two years.

The Middletown, Connecticut -based school earned a meager 2.8 percent on its endowment's investments in the year ending June 30, though it made the smart move of putting 12 percent of its \$320 million nest egg into international stocks. They returned 22 percent — not the probability of generating enough to overcome a 3.4 percent return on domestic stocks Other colleges will have to on the school's bond investand a loss of 1.4 percent return

Dartmouth has already made the move away from traditional endowments over the last de- year ended June 30, the college

will continue with our aggresand tuitious in the past two sive strategy in alternative asyears have been rising by about sets," including stocks in emerging markets and U.S. startup companies, and stocks sold in private placements. myself. Dartmouth also may make some real estate investments, said Miss Hutton.

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## Taxes Can Hit Expatriate School Allowances

DUCATING one's children is important to expatriates. To be more precise, it scores an average of 4.8 on a scale between one (not important) and seven (very important), according to a recent survey of workers conducted by Runzheimer International, a Wisconsin-based relocation consultan-

domestic securities. In the fiscal to a set limit is also common.

cut its domestic equity allocation to 35 percent from 40 percent of the portfolio. It plans to trim at least three percentage points off the 28 percent it has invested in U.S. fixed-income securities, Miss Hutton said. In the next year, she said, "we

#### But paying fees is normally By Martin Baker deemed to be part of the expa-

"Most companies pay actual expenses for elementary and secondary-level children of ex-

triate's payment package, and Belgium, for example, tax any help from the employer, breaks are only available if the that is difficult to handle." educational costs are paid directly by the company. In these countries, expatri-

ates should therefore ask their companies to pay the fees directly. Otherwise, an educational allowance will end up in the hands of the taxman.

of 4,272 employees who work children through international as a sound general internation-

Jack Anderson, a tax and legal partner at Ernst & Young in Paris, says: "If you have to pay will usually be subject to tax. So for the education, you will need it is vital for expatriates and to earn another \$40,000 a year their employers to look at the to get two kids through an interlocal tax regime. In Japan and national school. If you don't get

> To get around this, there is the option of setting up a trust to pay for your child's education. Normally, money paid into such trusts is tax free or taxed at a lower rate.

Unfortunately, for those seeking to educate their off-Pity those expatriates who spring in the most tax-efficient lette Co., the personal-care outside corporate headquarters. schools. The cost is punitive, as ally applicable rule to follow. ing allowance is cut, but they analysts, can be the simplest Paying educational expenses up they have to pay for the educa- The best general advice is to won't take the job if education one: asking the school for fiseek the counsel of a tax expert. is touched."

## **Secondary Schools Abroad:** What's Best for Teenagers?

vate schools."

ERA, which advises people

looking for overseas schools,

warns: "It can cost in excess of

\$15,000 per child per year once

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Indeed, descriptions of fees

for school buses, so-called

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A vital step in trying to de-

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national schools.

By Iain Jenkins

OU have just been offered a job in Riyadh. Saudi Arabia. The money is too good to refuse but there is a problem: Where do you send your two teenage children to school? No western secondary schools are allowed in this fiercely traditional Muslim country.

It is a surprisingly common problem. Many Americans, who make up the major part of Saudi Arabia's army of expatriates, have turned to boarding schools in Lugano, Switzerland and Thorpe, England.

One advantage to such loca-tions is that flights from Riyagh to Geneva and London are relatively frequent, making holiday commuting relatively easy. The cost of the schools, however, is frightening. The TASIS school in Thorpe, for example, charges \$20,000 a year for boarders fine if the company is paying but financially crippling if it isn't.

Fortunately, however, most expatriates still have such fees paid by their company or international organization.

"Education is sacrosanct," said Silvio Perl, London-based human resources chief for Gilproducts concern. "People might complain when the hous- fray the costs of education, say

national that offer financial aid Sacrosanct it may be, but employers are still trying to cut do not advertise that fact. The TASIS school, for example, costs on education, according grants large sums of money each year to help parents foot the bills. to John Howson, an administrator at U.K.- based Oxford Brookes University, which al-Fred Koval, director of admissions at the TASIS School, though located in Oxford is not affiliated with Oxford University. "Increasingly, people are of-

says: "We have strong financial aid programs. We look at incomes and whether or not the fered contracts to work abroad," be said. "They might parents have company support.
People can got anything from
\$1,500 a year to a full scholarship for inition, room and
board." only get part of their children's educational expenses or nothing at all. It leaves them with some harsh choices, as international schools are often more expensive than even local pri-

Of course, even if the compa-ny is paying the fees, picking the right school for your chil-In London, American schools dren when you move abroad isn't easy. Children often feel cost from \$10,000 to \$13,500 a year for day students, compared unsettled, and there is the probwith \$6,500 for the average local lem of which type of school sysprivate school. Bod Findaly, head of the U.K.-based Educatem you want for your children. tional Relocation Associates, or

In some capital cities, such as Brussels, Jakarta, Bahrain and Paris, the choice can be bewildering. Should one's children go to a school with a "national" curriculum based on those in one's home country? Or would an international baccalauteate program be better? What about cal schools?

The decision often depends upon the age of the children and the executive's future career plans. For children under the age of 14 the curriculum may not be that important, say some analysts, as there are considerable benefits to a local school where a new language

and culture can be learned. Margaret Grandy, head of admissions at the American School in London says: "Some American parents want their children to speak French so. when they move to Paris, they will put them into local schools. Others want continuity, which is why they chose schools like ours." At the American School, a U.S. curriculum is taught, but the students play rugby, not

American football If the posting abroad is only for a few years, say other observers, it may be best to find a school offering a national curriculum in order to minimize disruption for the child. But ex-ecutives likely to be sent abroad again should bear in mind that offered us a deal in which we the next country might not have

such a curriculum available. American, British and school offering their national curriculum around the world. For other nationalities, it may be better to start children in an international baccalaureat program, even if a national curriculum school is available in the first posting abroad.

Roetta Mirgain, admissions director at The International School of Brussels, says: Swedes may have difficulty finding a Swedish school in their next posting. That's why they consider sending their children to our school, although there's a Swedish school in Brussels."

## A Parent's Saga of Climbing the Education-Costs Mountain

By Robert C. Siner

HIS is a personal testimony on the travails of funding a college education. It may not be ideal for everybody, but it has worked for my wife and

Our adventure began about 10 years ago, when a colleague was relating how much it cost to

college costs had begun a steep climb during the mid-1970s. Going further back, what had cost about \$3,500 when I entered college in 1960 had increased over 500 percent and was still going up. Earnings at least my earnings — had not kept pace. After a period of send his children to college. down to find out just how much

When he started talking about money we were talking about. costs of over \$20,000 per year, I Some simple arithmetic gave 10 years to do it. started paying closer attention. us a figure of about \$30,000 a Savings and

At that time, our two boys were year for a top college by the as much as we could, maybe about paying it off even faster? three and five years old.

A little research showed that Multiply by four and double start, and to increase our yearly to 10 to 12 years. Then we could not be contributions as our income. surprisingly accurate.

sources - scholarships, college monthly investments in quality grants, gifts from our parents or mutual funds. We'd have to loans from our employers denial, my wife and I finally sat showed us that none could be counted on. We would have to raise the \$250,000 and we had Savings and investment

emed the only way. A check at the markets and at the current market wisdom revealed, encouragingly, that a 10 percent annual return seemed like a reasonable expectation. With a little luck, we thought we might be able to raise the \$250,000. But when we did some de-

tailed computation, we got some bad news. Figuring a 10 percent return, we would have to invest almost \$15,000 a year to earn \$250,000 in 10 years. Even if we dropped our retirement investments and cut back all expenses to the bone, the amount we could afford to invest would still leave us \$50,000 to \$75,000 short. We decided simply to invest

quarter of a million dollars. do, but if our yearly contribu-This estimate turned out to be tions didn't increase by much, the plan would still leave us A quick look at outside over \$100,000 short. We began

> It was a rational plan but one destined to fail since, in short, off faster. our house fell apart around us. During a four-year period, we had to replace every mechanical system in the house and make some major structural repairs. The costs were over \$100,000.

borrow the rest.

We decided to consolidate these debts into a second mortgage to reduce our payments to manageable level. Paying for college became a lower priority.

Shortly thereafter, however, a bank mortgage officer told us that if we really wanted to save some money, we should take out a 20-year instead of a 30year mortgage. That would, he said, cut our interest costs by a third and the monthly payment would be only a couple of hundred dollars more.

I remember thinking: What cations.

and you get \$240,000 — make it contributions as our income borrow what we needed for our \$250,000 to be safe. A cool grew. It was the best we could kids' college costs. We found out that we could

get a 15-year mortgage at a lower rate, making our payments about \$500 per month more than the 30-year, but allowing us to save over half the interestcosts. And as our income went up, we might be able to pay it Three years later, the bank

increased our monthly payment by another \$100 and paid biweekly instead of monthly. This French expatriates have the again cut our interest and, even greatest chance of finding a better, trimmed our payoff time by another 2.5 years. The bottom line is that, now,

with the boys just a few years away from college age, it looks like we'll be able to bear the expense. But if each one gets into a top college, and no grants are forthcoming from the schools themselves, we'll still have to borrow about \$250,000.

Make that \$200,000. My parents recently surprised us with the news that they've saved about \$50,000 for the boys' edu-



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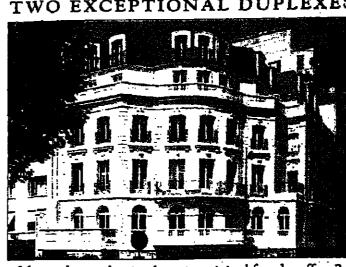
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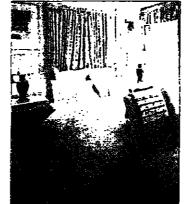
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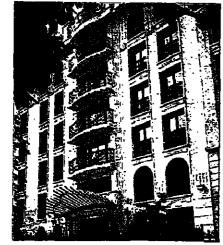


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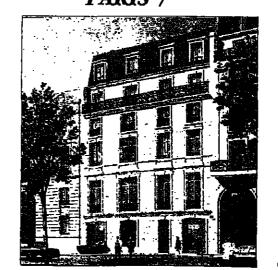
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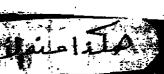
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#### THE MONEY REPORT

## Is the European MBA Becoming a Mediocre **Business Accreditation?**

**By Barbara Wall** 

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N today's tight job mar-ket, recruiters can afford to be choosy. Even the much-vaunted Master of Business Administration degree, or MBA, may be scorned if it doesn't bear the stamp of a top school.

Once upon a time, all of the top business schools were in the United States. But European business schools, according to some analysts, have taken great steps forward over the past deacde. One question today is whether European schools offering MBAs have gone into de-cline along with the job market

There was a spell during the mid- to late 1980s when commerce and industry had an insatiable appetite for MBA gradu-ates," said Pierre Salzmann, director of public affairs at the International School for Management Development, or IMD, in Lausanne, Switzerland.

"However, the proliferation of MBA degrees and Europewide economic recession has, quite naturally, led recruitment question the value of an MBA qualification."

A number of observers believe that the problem is not the preponderance of MBA graduates, but the dearth of schools offering top-notch programs.

"Recruiters will always be at-tracted to reputable manage-ment schools," said Mr. Salzmann. "But marginal academic institutions are turning to MBA programs as potential money spinners, and this practice is reflected in the standard of the MBA being offered. The top schools rarely make a profit from the MBA program, as any surplus cash is plowed back into research.

"Less scrupulous establishments, however, will spend the bare minimum on course material, pack the classes as full as possible, and employ tutors with little or no teaching experience. And, they get away with

Roger McCormick, director general of the Association of MBAs, a London-based trade association representing U.K. schools that offer MBAs, said the United States has also suf-fered a glut of MBA programs during the last decade. He added, however, that as applica-tions have tailed off, there has been a noticeable shake-out

its MBA program. An often-mentioned draw-

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**European MBA Programs** Annual tuition costs, 1994 anterior and the Bradford University (U.K.) City University (U.K.) 20,540 Cranfield (U.K.) 12,640 European University (France) NΑ Imperial College, London 12,640 14,220 INSEAD (France) NΑ 27,560 (1) IMD (Switzerland) 29,680 NA London Business School (2) 15,000 33,970\* RVB (Netherlands) 14,280 Strathclyde University (Scotland) 11,850 3,550

(2) London Business School offers a two year MBA program Abbreviations: INSEAD: European Institute of Business / for Management Development, RVB: Netherlands Internation Development.

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body is multinational, full-time

students can also gain exposure

have been through a difficult

patch, but observers agree that the next few years should be

"The new buzzwords in the

corporate world are 'downsizing' and 'delayering,' " said Mr. Mc-

Cormick. "What that effectively

means is that companies are

looking to empower at a more

junior level, so recruiters should

be particularly interested in young, talented middle-manag-ers with good MBA degrees."

European business schools

to other cultures."

But since the European MBA dents must forego opportuni-market has not yet reached a ties to mix with their peer group saturation point, some analysts and to take part in joint work feel the marginal schools will projects and research activities.

continue to hang onto their Teamwork is an important continue to hang onto their market shares. "The U.K. is one of the highest producers of because it helps develop analyt-MBA graduates in Europe," ical capabilities and interactive said Mr. McCormick. "Yet skills," said Helen Henderson, MBA production in Britain is still only one-third of that in the SEAD. "And if the student U.S, even on a population-adjusted basis."

A spokesman for the European Foundation of Management Development, a Brussels-based trade group, said that negative publicity surrounding some MBA programs has had a positive effect because it has encouraged the majority of business schools to improve their ness schools to improve their courses. "During the last few years there has been a notable improvement in the quality of programs across the board," said the spokesman.

While some corporations have criticized MBA programs for being too academic and too cut off from the real world of business, many top schools have reacted by forging closer links with industry. Indeed, some companies now advise universities on the design of MBA programs and activelysupport research efforts.
Schools such as LBS and the

European University, moreover, are placing greater emphasis on the importance of field visits to businesses and offices, as well as encouraging companies to take a direct interest in school projects.

Jerry Huxell, associate dean of the Netherlands International Institute for Management Development, a school known as RVB, believes the best way to prepare students for a manage-ment position is to encourage 2011. He s210 com nies are expressing a preference for graduates with specific skills. because they tend to become productive within the business

world relatively quickly.
Students at RVB spend the first six months in a basic course that offers teaching in core disciplines such as accounting, economics, finance and marketing. The student then selects a particular area to specialize in for the next six months. One of the most popular areas, according to Mr. Huxell, is that of general and strate gic management.

A recent development on the MBA scene is the growth of part-time and off-campus learning programs. Many schools that offer such correspondence courses are based in Britain, among the best-known being The Henley School of Management, which currently has 6,000 students registered in

back to correspondence courses, however, is that stu-

#### Eastern Europe Looking to U.K. Schools **By Rupert Bruce** agencies have started up, which, for a fee, will research and recommend U.K. N the days before the Iron Curtain

came down, the grandaughter of for-mer Russian leader Josef Stalin was one of the few children from Eastern Europe or the former Soviet Union to attend a British "public" school, as those which are chiefly supported by student tuition are referred to in the United King-

But that is changing, as some students from the former Soviet bloc have been able to make use of new freedoms and affluence to gain a traditional, British boarding-school education, one aimed at gaining admission to a top university.

According to the U.K.- based Indepen dent Schools Information Service, or ISIS, there are now more than 100 fee-paying students from the former Soviet Union enrolled in British schools. Moreover, while the few students who came to England during the Communist years tended to be the sons and daughters of govern-ment officials, today's are the offspring of successful entrepreneurs.

John Towey, head of ISIS's internationelement in any MBA program, al branch, said he is aware of about 40 such students who matriculated to U.K. schools last month, adding that there are bound to be more. But why bother sending children to a school so far away?

"It is a mixture of things," said Brian Underwood, headmaster of Sussex-based Newlands Manor, whose tuition is a hefty £10,185 (\$16,250) a year, and which currently has more than 10 students from the East. "Safety, security, health, and of course the English language and the British public-school system's reputation for a rigorous intellectual education.

Mr. Underwood added: "I have one boy whose parents own what is probably Moscow's best restaurant. He cannot go out for fear of being kidnapped. Others are sent here to get away from the pollu-tion in places like Kiev in the Ukraine, which is close to Chernobyl." According to Mr. Towey, the first East-

ern Europeans started turning up in his London office two years ago. Initially, he

schools for foreign parents looking to place their children. Mr. Towey said he is reluctant to endorse any of these, however, as some do not cover a comprehensive range of schools.

Citizens of the former Soviet Union seem more able to afford British school fees than those from the rest of Eastern Europe. Indeed, say experts, there are few fee-paying students from countries such as Poland and the Czech Republic attend-

Some students from the former Soviet bloc have been able to make use of new freedoms and affluence to gain a traditional, British, boarding-school education.

ing school in England. There are, however, a number of sixth-form students, or those about 16 to 18 years of age, who have been

granted free places.
The Headmasters' Conference East European Initiative, a privately-funded program aimed at bringing Eastern European students to British schools, has given 76 full scholarship places to pupils this year, having given 55 in the 1992/1993 school year, the first in which it operated. The program grants places to teenagers of outstanding academic ability and unspecified personal qualities.

Robin Schlich, the European liaison officer at the £12,210-a-year Uppingham School in Leicestershire, which has a number of scholarship pupils, says that the "personal qualities" may include all sorts of things. Uppingham, for example, has a wonderful violinist from Prague," he

\*Some of them are obviously outstanding sportsmen, and many of them do all sorts of things like editing student news-papers," said Mr. Schlich, "I think we are really looking for the sort of people who are going to be the leaders of the next generation," he added.

Other British schools often considered by Eastern European parents, say observers, include Holmewood House, a prep school based in Tonbridge Wells, Kent, and Taunton School, in Somerset. In Britain, so-called "prep" schools are for 7- to 13-year-olds, while "public" schools are for 13- to 18-year-olds.

While the fees of such schools are evidently within the means of some East European and Russian parents, there are many more, of course, who wish to send their children to Britain but simply can't afford it. Roger Wicks, headmaster of Kent College, a public school in Canter-bury whose tuition is £9,627 a year, said he had two students from Lithuania enrolled for this year's fall term. But he received short notes from each set of parents -one the day before the term started and one the day after - saying that the students

would not be attending. No reason was given, but he said he suspected that tuition costs were the prob-

There have also been unsurprising hitches with a few children. "There have been problems with a few Russian children who have turned up unable to cope linguistically or emotionally, in that it is simply a huge culture shock," said Mr. Schlich.

But the benefits of having students from Eastern Europe in Western schools are many, according to those who teach them. Indeed, many teachers enthuse about the benefits to teenagers of meeting others from different cultures and say that such exchanges should draw Western and Eastern Europe closer in the future.

And as more parents living in the East reach higher levels of affluence, some add, more of their children are likely to attend schools in the West.

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## **Browns Nearly Shut Out** Oilers, Run Mark to 5-1

By Bill Plaschke Los Angeles Times Service

HOUSTON — They have a color-blind quarterback famous for hitting receivers in the numbers. That is, the numbers on their backs.

They have an old running back whose claim to fame is the worst fumble in team history. They have two former Pro

Bowl linebackers who are making their first important tackles in eight years.

Their biggest and best defensive player will never have a catchy nickname like "The Refrigerator" - because he is the The Fridge's little brother.

But before Michael Dean Perry interrupts this story with one of those giant swats that helped put down the Houston Oilers on Thursday night, one more thing should be noted about the Cleveland Browns.

They own the National Football League's second-best record after an 11-8 victory over the Oilers at the Astrodome.

And if you don't think this 5-I team is a legitimate American Football Conference Super Bowl contender, then you haven't been watching a conference where nobody rattles facemasks like this anymore.

"Sooner or later, people are going to start paying atten-tion," said cornerback Don Griffin after the Browns' fifth consecutive victory. "We're going to make them."

If they do, it will be with people like the bland coach, Bill Belichick, erratic quarterback Vinny Testaverde, prehistoric running back Earnest Byner, and former New York Giants linebackers Pepper Johnson and Carl Banks.

But it will mostly be because of team defense.

The Browns came within 28 seconds of pitching their second shutout, nearly causing an Oiler team to leave the field scoreless for the first time in five years.

They have allowed only four touchdowns in their last four

bench to rush for 65 yards. They will need more to beat Drew Bledsoe, who leads NFL in passing yards with 2,072. Jets by 3. Arizona (1-4) at Washington (1-5): Cardinals have No. 3 rushing defense in NFC (68.6

punt returns with a 19.8 yards average. Cardinals by 2. San Francisco (4-2) at Atlanta (4-2): The game for first place in NFC West. Falcons, whose 15 interceptions lead NFL have been gaining confi-

dence, while 49ers have had theirs shaken quite a bit. With Steelers by 121/2. offensive line still shaky, Steve Young is averaging 4.5 yards a carry. 49ers by 5. L.A. Raiders (2-3) at Miami (4-2): Raiders' Terry McDaniel four of the last five games. Gihas returned two interceptions ants' ailing running back Rodfor touchdowns and, with five ney Hampton (bruised kidneys, interceptions, is tied for lead in back injury) should be stronger NFL. But Dan Marino has this week and provide more thrown 15 touchdown passes,

most in NFL and Dolphins have converted 70 percent (7of-10) of fourth down attempts. Indianapolis (2-4) at Buffalo (4-2): Bruce Smith's 7 sacks running game is anemic. For leads AFC, while Bills have Chargers, Stan Humphries' 8.82 won eight of last nine against yards per pass play leads NFL, Colts, and in convincing fashion. But Marshall Faulk's 752

Chargers by 3. yards from scrimmage leads struggling behind shuffled and quarters, but Broncos gave up revamped pass rush, anchored by linebacker Tony Bennett, nine touchdown passes in first could have a big day. Bills by 9. New York Jets (3-3) vs. New three games. John Elway has league-low I1 points per game for the season.

But their most impressive statistic was two: The number of gloves taken from rookie cornerback Issac Booth as he left the field.

Booth, who thwarted two fourth-quarter drives with an end-zone deflection and interception at the eight-yard line, made the mistake of sticking his hands in a makeshift end-zone "Dawg Pound" filled with Browns fans.

He learned that, with the team off to its best start since Jim Brown was playing in 1965, the people in those pounds bite.

This defense is so good, it intimidates the offense, which accumulated 193 yards and the touchdown on a 25-yard pass from Testaverde to Mark Carrier in the first half.

And then shut down. The Browns gained just 67 yards in the second half.

"We know we're going to get the ball in good field position from our defense, and we know we had better capitalize," said Testaverde, who threw two more interceptions to give him a league-leading 10. Winning the games they are

supposed to win with a thirdplace schedule, the Browns could finish the season at 11-5, and home-field advantage for the wintery postseason.

It all depends on whether they have any gloves left.

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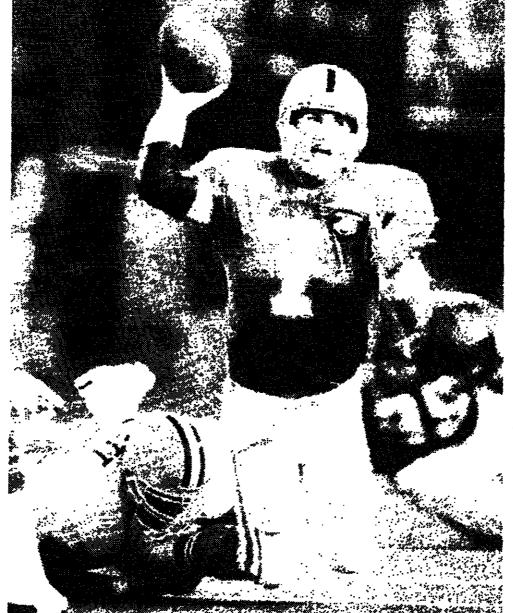
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The Oilers' Buckey Richardson just got off a pass before being sacked by Rob Burnett.

# Special Mediator In Baseball Talks

NEW YORK - In an effort to revive talks between majorleague baseball players and owners, the Clinton administration said Friday that a former labor secretary, W.J. Usery, would act asa special mediator in the dispute.

Usery was mediator during the 1974 National Football League. strike. He was a labor secretary in the Ford administration and head of the Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service under. Presidents Nixon and Ford.

When football players struck for 44 days before the 1974 NFL season, Usery helped settle the dispute before the season began. He also helped end the six-month coal miners' strike last year. Usery, called the nation's top mediator by the Labor Department, is known for long negotiating sessions - up to 44 hours -

and prodding the parties.

"He cajoled, he yelled, but the most important thing, Bill Usery." refused to throw in the towel." Thomas Hoffman, a spokesman-

for the coal operators, said last year. Players and owners haven't met since Sept. 9, five days beforeowners canceled the World Series for the first time since 1904. The

sides met just three times since the players struck Aug. 12.
Officials of the FMCS, led by national director John Calhoun; Wells, entered the talks the day after the strike began, but were unable to produce any breakthroughs.

## NHL's Dispute Spreads To Lockout in Europe

By Joe Lapointe New York Times Service

NEW YORK --- The National Hockey League's labor confrontation has spread beyond North America with Rene Fa-sel, president of the International Ice Hockey Federation, announcing that locked-out NHL players will not be allowed to join any teams in Europe during the labor dispute.

The issue of European em-

ployment is coming to a head because about 100 NHL players come from European countries where seasons are under way, Several players and their agents have talked with teams in countries such as Sweden, Finland and Russia.

"We don't allow NHL players to play in Europe," Fasel said Thursday in a telephone interview from Switzerland. They have a contract with the NHL, and it's not so good that they may play one month and go back after that."

Fasel represents a worldwide organization with 50 federations. The IIHF recently signed a three-year agreement with the NHL to co-operate on transfer payments, Olympic participa-tion and other tournaments. The contract has to be ratified, by the NHL Players Associa tion, and it hasn't been yet.

Fasel's statement came as a surprise to Don Mechan, a powerful Toronto-based agent who represents several European clients, and to Ron Salcer, another top agent who said five or six European teams were bidding on the part-time services of Vancouver's Pavel Bure.

"This would be very disturb-. ing," Salcer said.

Another agent, Mark Gandler, said he was trying to place several of his clients in both Europe and in the Interna-. tional Hockey League, a strong minor league based in the United States.

Gandler said that if European players were prevented from working in Europe during a lockout, he would sue the NHL. Among his clients are Alexei Yashin of the Ottawa Senators. and Alexander Zemak and Valeri Zelepukin of the Devils and Darius Kasparaitis of the New York Islanders.

## The Week 7 Matchups

Philadelphia (4-1) at Dallas (4-1): The game for first place in NFC East. Eagles lead league in time of possession (37:01), Cowboys' Alvin Harper leads league in yards per reception with 30.9. Eagles' pass rush has at least three sacks in the last four games, but will have to stop Emmitt Smith, Michael Irvin, Troy Aikman and Harper. Oddsmakers favor Cowboys by

N.Y. Giants (3-2) at L.A. Rams (2-4): Rams' Jerome Bettis is No. 2 rusher in NFL and has gained 100 or more yards in Tolwan 9, China 4 thump on offense. Giants by 3.

England (3-3): Jets found some five interceptions. Chiefs by 1.

yards), but quarterback merrygo-round continues. Steve Jay Schroeder's injured elbow isn't well enough. Redskins' Brian Mitchell leads NFL in

Cincinnati (0-5) at Pittsburgh (3-2): Barry Foster has rushed for 433 yards in last four games against Bengals, Steelers have 14 sacks in last four games.

San Diego (5-0) at New Or-leans (2-4): Saints' offensive

Kansas City (3-2) at. Denver (1-4): Chiefs' offense hasn't scored a touchdown in eight thrown five touchdowns and These matchups were compiled by Timothy W. Smith.

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line has allowed one sack in last three games and its three sacks allowed are fewest in NFL. But and has Natron Means as sledgehammer in backfield.

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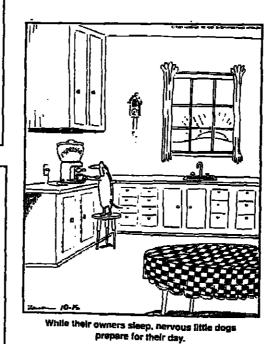
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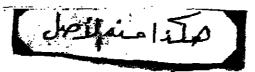


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FILDERSTADT, Germany (AP) - Martina Hingis, the 14-

year-old tennis prodigy, showed her inexperience Friday at the Porsche Grand Prix as she was ousted in the quarterfinals by

Hingis, playing just her second professional tournament, squandered four match points before the American qualifier pulled out a 0-6, 6-2, 7-6 (7-5) victory.

pro career, Hingis tried to play it safe at crucial moments, allowing Werdel to place ber on the defensive.

declared him fit to resume his boxing career.

Holyfield said he intends to fight once in Atlanta this year

He said he underwent tests this week under the supervision of his internist, Dr. Christopher Vaughns. But Holyfield would not answer specific questions about his medical condition - including questions about the heart problem that forced his retirement

For the Record

Tommy Lindholm quit as coach of Finland's soccer team after. ing the Grand Stade to host the final match of the quadrennial its 4-0 defeat in Greece in the European championship qualifying.

**Unotable** 

• Art Aragon, the old Los Angeles fighter who is a bail bondsman, describing the beating he took from Carmen Basilio in 1958: "I was on my stool between rounds when the bell rang. I said to my manager: 'That's the bell. Go see who it is.'

#### SIDELINES

Hingis Ousted From 2d Pro Tourney

Marianne Werdel in three sets.

Playing the first three-set match and tie breaker of her young

Holyfield Says Doctor Found Him Fit

ATLANTA (AP) - Former heavyweight champion Evander Holyfield says he has been diagnosed with sarcoidosis, a disease that can attack the lungs and heart, but said an Atlanta doctor has

before taking another shot at the title.

The United States and Mexico accepted invitations play in the 1995 America Cup, South America's soccer championship. (AP)

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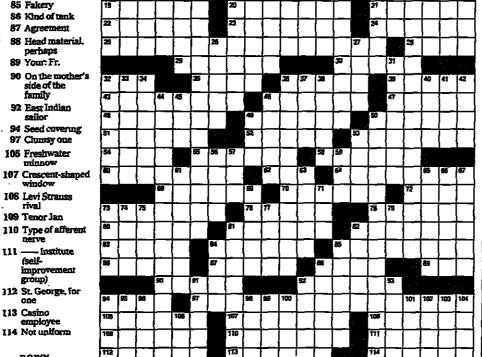
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## Pavin, Ballesteros and Faldo Are Overmatched on Day of Hot Shots

VIRGINIA WATER, England — Former champions Corey Pavin, Nick Faldo and Seve Ballesteros shot magnificent rounds of golf Friday - a combined 28 under par — yet all three were ousted in the second round of the World Match Play Championship.

Defending champion Pavin, who carded two rounds of 67 on the par-72 West Course at Wentworth missed a 9-foot putt for victory at the 36th hole before losing to Vijay Singh at

Ballesteros made 14 birdies - including seven 2s - but Ernie Els was even hotter as the third-seeded South African won, 2 and 1, in a record-setting match that also ended the Span iard's bid for a record sixth title.

Faldo, a two-time winner here, had two eagles in rounds of 68 and 66, but he lost to Colin Montgomerie by one hole before a record crowd for the

"The only thing that irritates me is that I had the match in my hands and I let it go," said Pavin, who blew four leads in the see-saw battle with Singh. "Vijay played really well, and he lesteros when he holed a 145-yard short for eagle at the third, took advantage of some of the mistakes I made coming in, and that's why he won. I made more mistakes than he did."

After missing his putt at the 36th that gave Singh the hole and tied the match, Pavin put his tee shot into the right rough at the par-4 37th. His 5-iron approach did not find the green and presented a difficult lie.

A chip past the flag left an 18-foot putt for par, which he missed to set up Singh's 4-foot par pult for victory. "That was a good win, for it seems to have been a very long day," said Singh, who will play Montgomerie in Saturday's ry.

Els' opponent will be José Maria Olazábal, who was bothered by a pain in his hip as he

yard shot for eagle at the third, sank a 50-foot putt for another eagle at the 22d, and carded 10

most difficult holes on the course, found the pin at the front of the three-tiered green and fell in. Els nearly repeated the feat with the same club when he played the hole in the afternoon round, this shot deflecting off the flag before rolling to a stop 12 feet away.

Ballesteros and Els halved five of their 35 holes with 2s, the most ever in a single match in the tournament's 31-year histo-

semifinals. "I am very, very "What can I say? I felt that I played very well," said Ballesteros, who received as much crowd support, if not more,

and from 10 yards, again for a birdie, to halve the par-4 15th.

birdies.

Els' 8-iron approach at the par-4, 452-yard third, one of the said of his hip. "It is very sore when I try to turn my body through the shot. It started to hurt the last couple of weeks, but it wasn't caused by any-thing that I was aware of."

Faldo had a chip-in of his own, for an eagle, at the 12th. but Montgomeric finished his morning round of 65 birdiebirdie-eagle, the last on a 20-foot putt at the 18th, and held on with a round of 70 in the afternoon.

"I shot 10-under for 36 holes, which can't be too bad," said Faldo, "You would take that at the start of a 72-hole tournament, but I lost and that's what match play is all about."

## Hill Wins Round 1 From Schumacher

The Associated Press

JEREZ, Spain — Damon Hill upstaged Michael Schumacher's return to Formula One racing Friday by winning the provisional pole position for Sunday's European Grand Prix.

Hill, in his Williams-Renault, posted the fastest time in qualifications, at 1 minute, 24.137 seconds, pushing Schumacher to third behind another German driver, Heinz-Harald Frentzen.

lished our superiority over Michael and Benetton," Hill said. But Schumacher, returning from a tworan ban during which Hill won both races

"The real point is that today we estab-

to cut the German's lead in the drivers' standings to one point, said, "Hill's won the first battle, that's all." Hill averaged 189.46 kilometers an hour (117.75 mph) on his fastest lap over the

4.43-kilometer Jerez circuit that last hosted

a Formula One race in 1990. Earlier this Tyrrell-Yamaha blew an engine and year it was chosen to replace the Argentine Grand Prix after the South American organizers had financial trouble.

Frentzen took second in a Sauber-Mercedes as his early 1:24.184 held off everyone except Hill. Schumacher tried to better the time by

coming onto the track last and running late but could only do 1:24,207 in his Benet-He said he was confident he would do better in Saturday's second qualifying ses-

sion to determine the starting grid for Sunday's race of 70 laps. "I thought we had a fair chance to be on the pole," Schumacher said. "For tomorrow I am confident because my morning times were the fastest of the day and on old tires."

Schumacher had gone 1:23.850 in the

morning. His waiting game in the after-noon was spoiled when Utko Katayama's

Barrichello did 1:24,700 in his Jordan-Hart ahead of Irvine's 1:24.794, also in a Jordan-Hart. Mansell's best was 1:24.971. Mansell is returning to Formula One

after two years on the Indy-car circuit in the United States. Mansell ran in a race in Monterey, California, last Sunday and rushed to Europe to practice in Estoril, Portugal, before coming to Spain on Thursday.

spilled oil on the track. The session had to

"When I went out the circuit was slip-pery from the oil," Schumacher said. "Plus

stones had been flicked out on the track."

Hill's teammate this race, Nigel Man-sell, took sixth behind Brazilian Rubens

Barrichello and Britain's Eddie Irvine.

be stopped to clean up the debris.

"Getting used to the car is awkward," Mansell said. Everything is changing all the time — the car, the circuit."

**China Wins** 

In Athletics

7 More Golds

The Associated Press

HIROSHIMA, Japan

China widened its already huge

lead in the Asian Games athlet-

ic competition Friday with an-

other seven gold medals and six

record-breaking performances. Only Kazakhstan and Uz-

bekistan, former Soviet repub-

lies making their Asiad debut.

could break the Chinese gold

monopoly, with victories in three field events.

But the secretary general of



the Chinese Olympic Commit-Han Qing, who won the 400-meter hurdles, gave Taiwan's third-place Hsu Pei-chin a tee announced that his coun-

#### friendly squeeze. Leng Xueyan finished second, having had her record broken by Han. Top Chinese Official Criticizes Coach Ma

HIROSHIMA, Japan — A rist between Ma Junren, the

coach of the record-setting women's track team, and other Chinese sports authorities spilled into the open Friday when the country's top sports official said Ma should stop "shouting" and overtraining his runners.

Wei Jizhong, secretary gener-al of the Chinese National Olympic Committee, said that authorities were also worried about Ma's obsession with making money. "Last year, we found that

Ma's athletes were being trained too hard to break world records," Wei said. "I told sports officials to pay attention to this... to stop this."

Ma said earlier this week that ll members of his self-styled "Ma's Family Army" had had appendectomies, all on the same day, after developing "toxicolog-ical problems." This, he said, was why they had not competed internationally this year. Friday, Ma said the operations

had not all taken place the same day, and that the athletes were back training within a mouth. He also told the Kyodo News Service that he and several of his athletes had gotten food poisoning from eating bad meat last year, and that this and the appen-

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"Ma talks too much," Wei said. "We advised Ma to coucentrate on doing something, not go around shouting about what he does."

There have been rumors of a split between Ma and Chinese sports authorities, but Wei's criticisms were the first made in Wei also said that Ma, who

has been selling the "secret elixir" of turtle blood and Chinese herbs he says his athletes use, was "too interested in money."
"This is a negative consequence," Wei said, "In every-

thing, there is a negative and a positive side."

"But we will try to convince

try's top female discus thrower, Ou Qiaping, had been taken off the team because she had failed a drug test for anabolic steroids.

Qu tested positive at a random test in China less than two weeks ago, Wei Jizhong, China's top sports official, said.

The unofficial title of Asia's speediest woman went to China's Liu Xiaomei, who set a games mark of 11.27 seconds in the 100 meters. The old record of 11.50 was also broken by silver medalist Wang Huei-chen of Taiwan and bronze medalist Huang Xiaoyan of China.

China's Ma Yuqin, ranked No. I in the world, poured it on in the 400 meters, erasing the games record of 52.13 seconds with a 51,17 clocking.

Japan won the baseball gold medal by beating South Korea, 6-5, despite a last-inning two-(Reuters, AP) run homer by Lee Young woo.

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#### **DAVE BARRY**

## Nonlunch With Hillary

IAMI — If I'm going to like to be a first lady. Once, at a dinner, I sat next to a very funny Clinton, I feel a deep moral obligation to provide an irresponsible, highly distorted ac-

count of it. I am not one to drop names, but I was recently invited to a private luncheon with Hillary Rodham Clinton, First Lady of

the Whole Entire United States. This is true. I got the invita-tion from Mrs. Clinton's office, and I said that heck yes, I would go. I will frankly admit that I was excited. Mrs. Clinton would be the most important federal human with whom I have ever privately luncheoned.

I did once attend a dinner with Richard (Dick) Cheney when he was the secretary of defense under President George (Herbert Walker) Bush, but that was not a one-on-one situation. That was at the Cartoonists' Dinner, an annual event wherein political cartoonists get a chance to come out from behind their drawing boards and, in an informal setting with high-level feder-al officials, make fools of themselves. Cartoonists, as a group, exhibit a level of social sophistication generally associated with

As a maturity-impaired individual, I have had the honor of being invited to the Cartoonists' Dinner on several occasions, which, as I mentioned, is how I came to meet Dick Cheney. I actually met him about six times. You know those situations where you have consumed a few unnecessary beers and think you're being the funniest thing on two feet, whereas in fact you're just being stupid?

But humiliating yourself in front of the secretary of defense, as impressive as it is, is not on a par with being invited to a private luncheon with the first lady. I was especially eager to share my views on health care, assuming I could think some up. Also I wanted to find out what it was first lady of a large state that shall remain nameless. She told me that she and some other govemors' wives had once come up with the idea of getting life-size smiling photographs of themselves and mounting them on pieces of cardboard to be used as portable first ladies.

"That's all they really need to represent us," the governor's wife told me, "because all we ever do is stand there and smile, and they introduce the governor, and then they say, 'And here is his lovely wife,' even if she is actually a dog."

I was fired up about my impending luncheon with Mrs. Clinton. Everything seemed set - until Mrs. Clinton's staff person, Lisa Caputo, informed me that the luncheon was going to be "off the record." I asked what that meant.

"Mrs. Clinton would like to meet you," Caputo said. "This is a chance for you to get together and have a good time. But you can't write about it."

My crest fell when I heard those words, because I knew I could not accept this restriction. I am a professional journalist, and if I'm going to have luncheon with one of the most powerful U. S. political figures, then I feel a deep moral obligation to provide you, my readers, with an irresponsible and highly distorted account of it.

I explained this to Caputo, but it was no use; either the luncheon had to be off the record, or there would be no luncheon. So there was no luncheon. So in closing, I want to say: Mrs. Clinton, if you're reading this, I hope we can sit down and have fun on the record, and if it would make you feel more comfortable, you're certainly welcome to also invite you-know-who. (Dick Cheney.)

Knight-Ridder Newspapers

## Is English Really a Family of Languages?

By Barbara Rosen

BRUSSELS — If a college student from Papua New Guinea and a Jamaican high school teacher try to converse and can't understand one another, can they both be speaking

Tom McArthur thinks so and says it's time to see English as a family of languages. McArthur is editor of "The Oxford Companion to the English Language" and is now writing "The English Languages" for Cambridge University Press. He is also editor of the review English

"The way in which scholars now look at English has radically changed," he says. "It is very unlikely that people will ever go back to thinking of English as one entity." Other experts disagree.

"It is a gross exaggeration," says Randolph Quirk, author of "The Comprehensive Grammar of the English Language."

McArthur draws his family of Englishes in concentric circles. At the center stands World Standard English, the language used internationally in the media, education, science and technology and which, he says, "is highly comprehensible to educated people in the mainstream English-speaking countries."

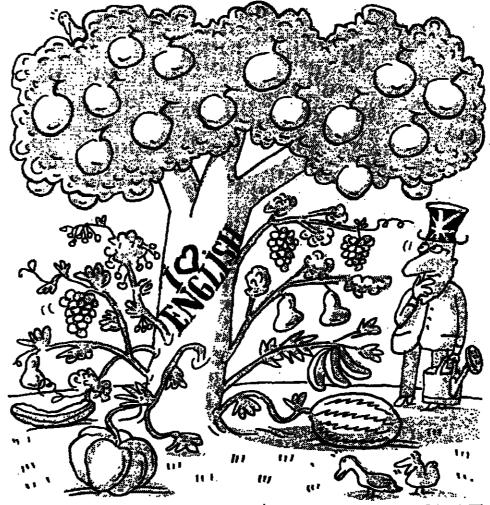
Next come geographic branches, the Englishes used in education and the media in, for example, the United States, Australia, the Caribbean, East Asia and Southern Africa. Some of these are standardized, with their own dictionaries and style guides; others, such as those used in India and Singapore, are in the process of becoming standardized.

The outermost ring includes everything from Burmese English to Jamaican National Language to (American) Black English Vernacular to Tok Pisin, which is spoken in Papua New

Along that periphery, "you've really got what anybody in the world would call different languages," McArthur says, explaining that, for example, some of the tongues are unintelligible to other English speakers.

He cites a phrase from Tok Pisin (Pidgin to its speakers), "Tupela kilim pik na mipela karim," and translates it as "Two fellows kill him pig and me-fellow carry him."

"Most speakers of other forms of English would get nowhere with Tok Pisin," he says. Yet "Tok Pisin uses only English words, Ithough! [though] the grammar is a mixture of English and a number of Papua New Guinean languages." He adds, "It's an English language, part of the English mass, tradition, beritage,



The same goes for traditional Scots, Jamaican Creole and Black English Vernacular, in particular the Gullah spoken in the Sea Islands of the Carolinas and Georgia, McArthur says. He recognizes, however, that at least some of his examples can equally be traced along their non-English roots. And he notes that naming a language is a political and social question as much as a linguistic one. He says a lot of people would not want to give Black English Vernacular or traditional Scots "the glory of being a separate language."

dialect with an army and a flag and a defense policy and an airline," but calling a dialect a language doesn't make it so. "Nobody in Mexi-co would say 'I'm speaking Mexican.' [And] Even McArthur's detractors agree that some of his examples are indeed distinct languages, but they reject the idea of calling them Eng-

The sociolinguist Peter Patrick, a Creole specialist at Georgetown University, highlights the importance of the non-English influences. In the Jamaican language, for example, most the African heritage," he says.

He added that Jamaican Creole, like Tok Pisin, evolved when several mutually unintelligible languages were thrown together in the

cataclysms of colonization and slavery. They "didn't arise from English the way that English came out of Old English. It wasn't a gradual drift," he said. And the English input came from sailors, indentured workers and plantation overseers, hardly speakers of stan-

"I don't think they belong in any family tree, but definitely not in an English family tree," he

Manfred Gorlach, professor of English at the University of Cologne, concurs. "You must not put your pidgins and creoles within this circle at all. They are separate languages," he says. They are not English."

McArthur says some may be reluctant to see English as a family because "the impression of

chaos would be too strong for them." The reality of English is chaotic," he says. Even as forces like CNN and the BBC continue to spread English usage around the world and perpetuate a reasonably consistent form of the language, English's many multicultural spin, offs are pulling from the periphery. "The global village — we're in it and it is chaotic," McAr-

McArthur believes that seeing English as a family could foster tolerance among peoples, as "English" speakers accept that people they don't understand may also be speaking "Eng-

But outside the walls of linguistic academia, does it really matter what any language is

Very much, answers Patrick, who says that linguists might want to say, on the basis of history and structure, how different Jamaican Creole is from Englishes. But "speaking 'English' is worth a lot of money and a lot of

prestige," he says.

A few years ago, Patrick asked a Jamaican woman in Kingston if she preferred to speak English over Patwa, as Jamaican Creole is

called by those who speak it. The woman answered. "Yes. Mi jos laik di inglish. Fa, yu si wen :ni ina di konchri, an mi jos a taak di patwa den . . . yu fiil so imbaris."

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When Yoko Ono cleans out her closets, here's what comes out: the black electric Ricken backer 325 guitar played by John Lennon in the mid-1960s; his annotated lyrics for "Lucy in the Sky With Diamonds";

five of his report cards from the

Quarry Bank School in Liverpool, and the lime-green uniform he wore for the "Sgt Pepper's Lonely Hearts Club Band" alburn cover. Those are among the posses sions One will lend to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum in Cleveland, which is scheduled to open next Septem-



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"In common sense terms, there is only one

English language," says Quirk, adding that Tok Pisin "could indeed become a separate language, but it wouldn't be English. It's not English now. I suppose it would be a dialect of English, you could say. It is broken English."

"People have been so silly about these things," Quirk continues. "Every language on Earth has recognizable dialects." He says the difference may be only that "a language is a

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very, very few Americans would describe them-

selves as speaking American."

Yoko Ono and Jan Wenner of Rolling Stone magazine at New York presentation ceremony of Lennon memorabilia.

ber. "I believe this is the most appropriate place for John's things," Ono said. "These things have been in my closet, so to speak."

after the first scheduled show was stopped because sealing collapsed, injuring 96 people and this time everyone remained in their seats to applaud. A tier of temporary seatng collapsed on opening night when fans stood to cheer.

Pierre Rosenberg, chief curator of paintings at the Louvre since 1987, has been named president and director of the Louvre, succeeding Michel Ladotte, who is retiring.

come the first woman to walk around the world - 11 years. after setting out. "I just wanted to see how far I could go,"

she said Friday as she walked into John o'Groat's, Scotland, at the northernmosttip of the British mainland. She left there, intending to walk only to Land's End, on the southern tip of Britain. But she kept The British leg of Pink Floyd's world tour finally kicked off in London — 24 hours continents.



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